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SHEPARD A WITNESS.

Miss Gould's Fiance on Stand.

Is "Jackson" He Was Man of Mystery in Chicago Police Case.

Tale of Girl Friend Followed Auto Ride With the Railroader.

Testimony of Coroner's Inquiry Read Into the History of a Romance.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Finley J. Shepard, husband of Miss Helen Gould, was the man of mystery known as "Jackson" who was mentioned in connection with the suicide of 18-year-old Bertha Kohlsaat in Chicago three years ago. The girl, a Jewess, on a vacation from Bryn Mawr seminary, Washington, was found dead at her home, No. [illegible] State street, on September 17, 1909. Gas was flowing from two jets.

AN AUTO RIDE.

The man whose engagement to Miss Gould was announced this week was a military supply dealer residing at the Virginia Hotel. On the night of the tragedy he had taken Bertha for an automobile ride. Also with them were the girl's sister, Miss Maud Dowdell, her brother-in-law, Dr. Frances Dowdell, and Fort Sheridan friends. The young woman's mother, Mrs. Frances Dowdell, was in Europe, whence she rushed, was in Indianapolis, Ind., at the time.

EVIDENCE OF SUICIDE.

Although a Coroner's jury returned a verdict of suicide, that of self-murder, evidence of reasons prompting her act caused a police investigation and when they interviewed Mr. Shepard he gave his name as Jackson. Later he explained that he gave only his middle name in order to escape notoriety.

Dr. Arthur M. Bishop, whose office is at the Virginia Hotel, and Dr. A. Belcham Keyes, both of whom were summoned, were puzzled and made a careful search for some sort of message left by the girl that would explain her motive. They found none.

When summoned as a witness, Mr. Shepard, without being sworn, explained that he had invited the young woman to go auto riding. Rain prevented.

FRIEND OF THE FAMILY.

"I was a friend of the entire family, more like a brother to the girl than anything else," said Mr. Shepard at that time. "I had them all out in my automobile Wednesday night and we took dinner at the Bismarck. I phoned Bertha last night and laughingly remarked that it was a cheer-

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MISS MUNSON IS MAYOR.

Elected in Oregon Town by Sixteen Votes Over a Mere Man.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WARRENTON (Or.) Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Miss Clara C. Munson, the daughter of a pioneer and a graduate of St. Helen's Hall, Portland, was elected Mayor of Warrenton today. Woman suffrage has been in force in Oregon barely five weeks, and Miss Munson is the first woman to be elected Mayor of a northwestern town, although Washington and Idaho have been suffrage States for several years. J. W. Detrich was Miss Munson's opponent for Mayor. He was defeated by the narrow majority of 16 votes. Women took an active part in the campaign and election.

"I shall give Warrenton a business administration," said Mayor-elect Munson tonight. "I will make good."

Deserts Husband to Run Home.

Mrs. Bessie Hunter,

A bride of six days, whose mysterious leave-taking from her husband in San Francisco, aroused fear that she had committed suicide. She merely went home to mother to be petted and comforted and, there to be reunited with her husband.

Nostalgia.

SO SORRY FOR POOR JOE BUT STAYS WITH MOTHER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "Oh, I got so lonesome to be home and I was ill and wanted mother," sobbed Mrs. Bessie Hunter nee Cotter, deserting bride of six days who left her husband in San Francisco, when she was seen today at her mother's home. "I'm so sorry for poor Joe," she sobbed on. "I do love him dearly and I want him now. But I just had to be home. For I felt so ill and miserable and only mother could understand. I just got it into my head that I must kill myself or get home and somehow I couldn't talk to him about it. So I wrote that note.

"I left it for him and slipped away when he thought I was going to see the doctor. I did want to die at first. I didn't know how I would kill myself, but I thought of drowning and taking poison and then I thought of mother and all the trouble she has been through since father died, and I knew that that would kill her so I just came home."

"It's all right," said her mother, Mrs. E. V. Cotter, who petted her and comforted her. "It's all right, little girl, we're so glad you're home." So, despite their sympathy for the young bridegroom and the tears of weeping bride, whose nerves gave completely away, it was a happy time in the Cotter household today.

So Sudden.

ANGELENO AUTOS CRASH ON THE ROAD TO KILAUEA.

[BY CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HONOLULU, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Six Californians had a narrow escape from sudden death when two automobiles met at a sharp curve on the narrow road leading from Hilo to the volcano of Kilauea last Sunday morning. The meeting was so sudden that neither of the two drivers had time to stop his car, and the little car coming from the volcano skidded, shot over an embankment and turned upside down over its four passengers. The driver was thrown from his seat into the ferns by the roadside, and a big gash was cut in his forehead.

By the time the upturned wheels of the little car had ceased revolving the occupants of the big car going up the hill had come to the rescue. By united effort they lifted the little car and the entrapped people beneath began to crawl out. First came two women, but they were too dusty at first to recognize each other. Then out crawled a man, quite as dust begrimed as the women, but just the same Dr. Ray D. Robinson of Los Angeles, who was one of the rescuers, almost lost his grip on the load he was helping to lift when he saw him.

"You? You? Copp!" he ejaculated, and then the last man crawled out and Dr. Robinson and Andrew J. Copp, Jr., and Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Copp, all of Los Angeles, and Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Wilcox of Santa Barbara, and everybody else shook hands. It was a reunion of sons and daughters of the Golden State, and a very happy one.

Beside the driver mentioned, Mr. Wilcox of Santa Barbara was the only member of the party injured in the least. He was pinned by the car

Countess.

SISTER OF HARRY THAW WILL WED A BANKER.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] Cards will be issued tomorrow by Mrs. Charles Whitney of Boston announcing the engagement of her son, George Fred W. Whitney, a banker, to Alice Cornelia Thaw, formerly the Countess of Yarmouth, and since her divorce from Yarmouth known as Mrs. Copley Thaw. The date for the wedding has not been set, but it will probably take place in the spring. Whitney's fiancee is the daughter of Mrs. William Thaw and a sister of Harry Kendall Thaw. She today opened her new home in Washington, D. C., but will spend the holidays with her mother here, when arrangements will be made for the wedding.

"Money Trust."

"ARE YOU A BANKER?"

"I Try to be," Says J. P. Morgan.

Autocrat of the Money Table on Witness Stand Before Senate.

Admits Corporations Deposit Where Federal Eyes Never Peer.

Sergeant-at-arms Can't Serve a Subpoena on William Rockefeller.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—J. Pierpont Morgan occupied the center of the stage today before the Money Trust Investigation Committee of the House of Representatives.

The financier reached Washington last night in response to a subpoena from the committee, but it was not until 2:40 o'clock this afternoon that the way was cleared for his testimony to begin. Meantime Morgan sat for nearly an hour listening to the mass of statistics which Mr. Untermyer and the committee were piling up concerning the colossal financial operations of leading New York, Chicago and Boston institutions through so-called interlocking directorates.

Mr. Morgan heard his name and that of his firm referred to many times as tables were presented showing the affiliations of that concern with many banks, trust companies, transportation and industrial corporations. He appeared unmoved throughout it all.

Mr. Morgan's testimony lasted barely twenty minutes and was largely preliminary to the testimony to be

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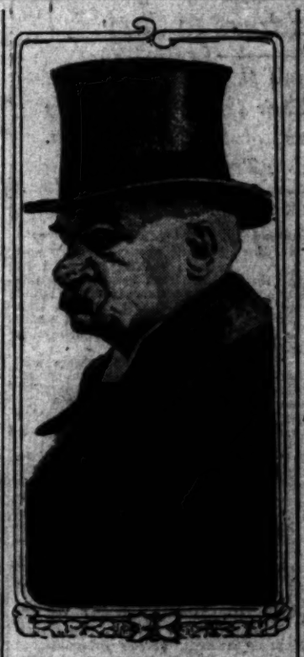

J. P. Morgan,

Who testified yesterday before the Senate Money Trust Committee that he is trying to do a "general banking business" in New York.

The Makings.

M'COMBS CUTS IN.

Will Sit at Cabinet Table.

Wilson Announces That His Baltimore Manager Will Be Appointed.

President-elect Speaks Out in Meeting About the Chances of Bryan.

Conference With the Commoner Will Be Held in the Near Future.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PRINCETON (N. J.) Dec. 18.—President-elect Woodrow Wilson got down to Cabinet making today, and almost in so many words, said tonight that William F. McCombs, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, would sit at the big table after March 4.

McCombs, on his part, said William J. Bryan had been discussed, but Mr. Wilson, without denying that it was in connection with a Cabinet position, said he and McCombs had talked over a meeting with Mr. Bryan in the near future.

Mr. Wilson and Mr. McCombs put in three hours in New York at Cabinet making, and nobody knows tonight just how far they got.

"Will Mr. McCombs be one of the men with you in Washington helping to run the government?" Mr. Wilson was asked tonight, on the Princeton-bound train.

"Of course he will," was the reply, but further than that he would not talk about it.

While Mr. Wilson was in New York a number of politicians were scouting about the corridors of the same hotel.

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THE WORLD'S NEWS IN TODAY'S TIMES.

SYNOPSIZED, CLASSIFIED AND INDEXED.

TABLE OF TITLES — PAGES — PARTS

PACIFIC SLOPE. Gov. Johnson yesterday granted a three-months reprieve to Charles Carnes, who had been sentenced to be hung Friday at Folsom, in order that the question of his sanity or insanity might be investigated.

Joseph MacDonald, a wealthy mining operator, now in Mexico, will be extradited from there, it was reported yesterday, to stand trial in Alameda to answer indictment, charging that he killed a woman washer who had attempted to have him close down his mines on a Sunday.

The San Francisco Chamber of Commerce began the presentation of its charges to the Railroad Commission against the Southern Pacific for alleged discrimination in switching charges.

Rhodes Canyon, twenty-four miles south of Lovelock, Nev., it was reported yesterday, may be a new Tonopah, as a large vein of silver and gold has been located there.

There is an increased demand in Europe for California dried fruit.

The State Highway Commission proposes to introduce a bill in the Legislature to tax automobiles by horsepower, this increasing the revenues from that source to $500,000 a year, this money to be used in maintaining the State highway.

GENERAL EASTERN. The eastern firemen have modified their demands in respect to the employment of two firemen on larger locomotives, and have decided that they will appeal to arbitration under the Erdman act rather than vote for a strike.

The question of whether a buffalo is a game or a domestic animal, it was announced yesterday, is to be settled in Washington, because of the shipment of seven buffaloes to a Kansas City packing-house to be killed.

Dr. Anna Shaw is at Chicago to plan a whirlwind campaign for women suffrage.

WASHINGTON. The Democrats by filibustering yesterday won the first skirmish in the effort to hold up all of President Taft's recess appointments, thus breaking all precedents of history.

Senator Bristow yesterday introduced a bill providing that postmasters be elected by popular vote.

President Taft has received assurances that Col. Goethals will accept the appointment of Governor of the Canal Zone.

President Taft has sent to the Senate the nomination of George A. Carpenter to succeed Peter S. Grosscup, who resigned as Federal circuit judge. Charles E. Cuttier was nominated to succeed Carpenter.

The Union and Southern Pacific officials and Atty.-Gen. Wickersham have agreed to appeal to the United States Supreme Court for further instructions in the merger case, as the Attorney-General refuses to approve the plans for dismembering the two roads that have been submitted by them.

THE GREAT WAR. Russia indirectly served notice yesterday upon the powers that the Balkan allies shall not be robbed of their conquests.

The Porte has sent its plenipotentiaries authority to resume peace negotiations at London, despite the fact that Greece has not yet signed the armistice.

FOREIGN. The British in London are advocating the erection of a statue to George Washington in Westminster Abbey, and are agitating the purchase of his ancestral home at Sulgrave manor.

FINANCIAL. Bonanza stock took a sudden jump on the New York Stock Exchange yesterday on account of the news of the increase of the quarterly dividend, and there was general activity in other stocks.

Wheat and corn finished strong on the Chicago market yesterday.

TURKS REPORT A VICTORY.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 18.—A great victory by the Turkish troops over the Greek army near Janina on Sunday is reported today by the Turkish commander there in a telegram to the War Office. He asserts that 400 Greeks were killed and 124 wounded. Several field guns, numerous rifles and a quantity of equipment were captured by the Turks.

THE DAY'S FOREMOST NEWS

MAPPED AND SYMBOLIZED.

TODAY'S OUTLINE NEWS MAP OF THE WORLD.

Revised and recast after midnight in the light of the latest press dispatches received by The Times.

THE SYMBOLS, REVISED LIST, WITH THEIR RESPECTIVE MEANINGS, SHOWN BY THE KEY

1. Troops marching to the front.
2. Disaster.
3. Burning building.
4. Land battle.
5. Earthquake.
6. Execution.
7. Volcano in eruption.
8. Forest fire.
9. Assassination—massacre.
10. Strike—riot—street fight.
11. "Let slip the dogs of war."
12. Burglary and robbery.
13. Storm, snow, flood.
14. Pestilence and starvation.
15. Sea fight.
16. Railroad accident.
17. Fatal automobile accident.
18. Aeroplane accident.
19. Dove of Peace.
20. Strange—startling.
21. "Tidings of great joy."

NOTES—(1) This News Map of the World is designed merely as an aid to the busy reader, helping him to readily devour a body of news many columns in length. It is simple, and easily comprehended by any observant reader. (2) A swift glance at the respective symbols in the face of the map will instantly show to the reader the nature of the day's very foremost happenings anywhere on the globe. (3) The position of any particular symbol on the map is intended to indicate only approximately the spot where the news event occurred. Reading the dispatch itself will give the exact spot and elucidate the "mystery," if any there be. (4) In order to quickly take in the plan, look first at the symbol on the face of the map, then at the corresponding symbol in the margin, then note the number in the Key and the corresponding number on the face of the map. All "in the twinkling of an eye." (5) See also the News Summary. (6) The map, with changes, is repeated in each issue, as an essential part of the scheme, and is therefore new and fresh every day.

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McNamaras.

TRACE M'NAMARA PLOT TO WALKING DELEGATE.

Union Labor Agitators Scored by Federal Attorneys in Address to Jury.

"They Who Do Not Work, but Use the Funds of the Organizations to Enhance Their Power Even if They Have to Commit Crime" Text of Their Description. Los Angeles Outrages Laid to Tveitmoe.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 18.—"Walking delegates and officials who do not work, but who use the funds of labor unions to enhance their own power even if they must resort to crime," was the government's description in its argument to the jury at the dynamite conspiracy trial today of the forty men charged with complicity in the McNamara dynamite plots.

Olaf A. Tveitmoe, San Francisco, was charged with helping to expend $300,000 "collected from honest workingmen" in connection with a strike at Los Angeles, "which culminated in the wrecking of the Los Angeles Times Building," and all the defendants were declared to have used the funds of the Ironworkers' International Union in violation of the by-laws of the union to pay dynamiters to blow up non-union jobs.

WALKING DELEGATES.

"These men committed a crime not only against the laws of the land, but they committed a crime against their own union," said James W. Noel, Special District Attorney, "and these defendants are not workingmen who work with their hands. They are the walking delegates with high salaries who have brought the Ironworkers' Union into disrepute. The government makes no charge against labor unions whose purpose is legitimate and lofty, but it accuses those members of crime who stand at the head of the union and deceive the workingmen and use their funds for unlawful purposes.

"It has been shown that $200,000 was collected from toilers all over the country to defend McNamara after the defendants here knew he was guilty, and these defendants, including Frank M. Ryan, president of the union, knowing he was guilty, stood up for one minute at their Milwaukee convention and with uncovered heads turned their faces toward the west as a tribute to McNamara, locked in a Los Angeles jail, charged with murder.

"Not only the *defense* fund, but $350,000, as was testified by Andrew J. Gallagher of San Francisco, was collected from workingmen to promote a reign of terror in Los Angeles. Part of it went through the hands of Tveitmoe, who plotted The Times explosion, and who gave $500 to M. A. Schmidt, James B. McNamara's accomplice, for causing an explosion at Oakland.

"More money at the rate of $1000 a month was taken illegally from the funds of the Ironworkers' union so that McNamara might carry on the dynamiting, and another $1400 was sent by McNamara to Tveitmoe. The laws of the union show that these officials had no authority to use the money as they did.

"In fact, it has been shown that some of the 12,000 members of the union were opposed to the policies of their officials and that local unions in Milwaukee, Chicago, Cincinnati, Philadelphia, Kansas City and other cities wanted to withdraw but the international officials would not allow it.

"You jurors cannot allow these men to attempt to steer this country into a state of social chaos upon which they were determined. You cannot allow men like Tveitmoe, who has the ability to raise hundreds of thousands of dollars, or Eugene A. Clancy, or J. B. Mattock, who harbored the Los Angeles dynamiter for two weeks, in Salt Lake City, you cannot allow them to put all the responsibility upon McNamara."

THE CHARGES.

The government further asserted to the jury:

That Tveitmoe and Clancy of San Francisco were responsible for causing the Los Angeles Times explosion and that they with Anton Johannsen took from California to Nevada Mrs. Caplan, wife of a man indicted as McNamara's accomplice, so she might not be used as a witness at Los Angeles.

That President Ryan in 1906 wrote a letter about being invited to see William T. Jerome, then District Attorney of New York, in which Ryan expressed fears he was to be arrested on a serious charge.

That in 1908, against the rules of the union, Ryan and the executive board put up a $10,000 cash bond for George O'Donnell, charged with causing an explosion at Somerset, Mass., and that $500 was paid to O'Donnell while he was in the penitentiary.

That wherever Herbert S. Hockin went, explosions followed.

Concerning explosions at Cleveland, O., Mr. Noel said:

"What a sad reflection it is upon municipal government that a reign of terror should be permitted to go on unchecked for years, while the police merely said, 'What's the use.'"

Politicians standing between labor unions and the courts were blamed for the McNamara dynamite plots at the outset of the government's argument.

Pronouncing the series of explosions scattered over the country as a conspiracy "more dastardly and more threatening to society than the crime of an individual," James W. Noel, special assistant district attorney, told the jurors they were called on to render verdicts in the most important trial in recent years.

"Organized crime has here appeared to an amazing degree," said Mr. Noel, "and it was carried on and it grew because locally the arm of the law failed. Had local authorities done their duty this conspiracy could not have spread, but it appears that politicians for obvious reasons stood between labor unions and criminals and the local courts.

"A strike of the ironworkers was called. Plain assaults became murderous assaults; then, unchecked by the local courts and favored by politicians, the criminals grew bolder and fought with dynamite and nitroglycerine.

"The Los Angeles Times was blown up with the murder of twenty persons. After that reckless disregard of life came a desire to take life. Of the 100 explosions that occurred in the United States the government has proved that ninety-two explosions were against open-shop contractors or firms which refused to recognize the International Association of Bridge and Structural Ironworkers."

MAY REACH JURY NEXT WEEK.

With John T. Butler, vice-president of the Ironworkers' International Union, accused by the court of being a perjurer, and with him and three others of their number confined in jail because of increased bonds, the forty defendants faced the prospect today that their cases would be in the hands of the jury by Friday of next week.

The interval is to be devoted to argument to the jury, in which the defense and the prosecution each is allowed four days and to the final instructions by Federal Judge Albert B. Anderson in ordering the jury to retire to form its verdicts.

At the resting of the case by both sides, after a total of 750 witnesses had been heard and 12,000 pages of testimony taken, Judge Anderson overruled all motions to instruct the jury to acquit certain defendants.

Nonagenarian.

NESTOR OF BAR PASSES AWAY.

EX-CHIEF JUSTICE CURREY WAS NOTED POLITICIAN.

Was Head of Supreme Court After the War, Ran for Governor and Although Ninety-eight Years Old Retained Faculties Up to the Last With Exception of His Eyesight.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DIXON (Cal.) Dec. 18.—John Currey, former Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of California, and the Nestor of the State bar, died this afternoon at the home of his son, Robert F. Currey, near here, aged 98 years and 2 months. Judge Currey was the oldest attorney in the State and he was the last of the noted politicians of antebellum days in California. In 1859 he was the anti-Lecompton candidate for Governor. He was born in Dutchess county, New York, October 4, 1814, and arrived in California August 18, 1849. He located in San Francisco and took up the practice of law. For the next fifteen years he was prominently identified with important litigation in this section of the State, particularly the Sacramento Valley, devoting himself chiefly to the settlement of land titles founded upon the old Mexican grants.

The Democratic party was split on the slavery question at the time the State election was held in 1859. The Douglas, or anti-slavery Democrats, nominated Currey for Governor. Milton S. Latham, Lecompton Democrat, defeated him at the election.

Four years later he was elected a justice of the Supreme Court, with four others on the "Union" ticket. Judge Currey drew the four-year term, thus serving until 1867. January 1, 1866, he was chosen Chief Justice of the court.

Despite his advanced age, Judge Currey retained the use of his faculties almost entirely unimpaired, with the exception of his eyesight, to the last. His wife, Cornelia, survives him.

LIMITS RAILROAD LIABILITY.

No Damages for Santa Fe Fireman Hurt at Los Angeles Because He Was Not Under Orders When Hurt.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—That a railroad cannot be held responsible for injuries to an employee hurt while working without orders was the substance of a decision yesterday by the State Supreme Court.

Homer A. Clark, a traveling fireman for the Santa Fe Railroad, was detailed in October, 1911, to report at one of the company's roundhouses at Los Angeles. He leaped from a train passing the roundhouse, the engineer having forgotten his request to stop, and was severely injured. He sued the railroad and was awarded $30,000 by a jury.

The Supreme Court sustained the railroad on an appeal.

To Times Patrons:

As usual, The Times' Midwinter Number will be issued on January 1st next. This widely read issue, containing 192 pages, consisting of six illustrated magazine parts, with illuminated covers and copiously illustrated throughout, has always proved a profitable medium for classified advertisers, especially to those desiring to sell or exchange country real estate and city residences, or to exploit business chances and investments. The country-wide circulation of the forthcoming Midwinter Number will exceed 200,000 copies, and the issue will afford display and classified advertisers a splendid opportunity to reach thousands of homeseekers and investors. Classified advertisements Five Cents a word. Copy must be in Times office before December 24, 1912. Display advertising rates furnished on application.

THE TIMES-MIRROR COMPANY.

Father Approves Son's Second Bride.

Mrs. Harold Havens,

Who was Miss Estelle Houston of Fresno, Cal., and a student of Mills College, San Francisco. Her marriage to Harold Havens, son of an Oakland (Cal.) capitalist, came as a surprise to her mother and to the groom's father.

Transcontinental.

PACIFIC COAST ROMANCE CULMINATES IN NEW YORK.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Standing in the mellow light of the Ritz Carlton Hotel lobby, Harold Havens, son of Frank C. Havens, a capitalist of Oakland, Cal., told how he had received his father's blessing on his second marriage. His bride of a few days (they were married December 12) was Miss Estelle Houston, daughter of Mrs. Lena C. Houston, formerly of Fresno, Cal.

Mrs. Harold Havens was a student of Mills College, San Francisco. Like most California girls, she is a lover of athletics. In the West her husband is familiarly known as "Bud" Havens.

The announcement of the wedding was a surprise to San Francisco and Oakland social circles. Mr. Havens's first wife was Miss Hope Cheney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Vance Cheney of New York City. They were divorced several years ago.

That "Bud" Havens was a great admirer of the Mills College girl became known when the couple were together in an automobile accident. Then followed a sort of whispered announcement of their engagement, which lasted only a brief period.

"Bud" Havens prevailed upon the student of Mills College to get married. The Rev. William Rader was summoned in a hurry to perform the ceremony. Those present at the wedding were Harold Havens's two brothers, Said and Wickham Havens; the bridegroom's real estate partner, Edward Akins, and J. Harry Macmillan. The ceremony took place in the red room of the Fairmont Hotel, and Mrs. Houston learned of her daughter's marriage a day or so later. And it was after the ceremony that "Bud" Havens decided that it would be well to acquaint his father with the fact that he had taken a new bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Havens will spend Christmas in the Havens home in Sag Harbor.

McCombs Cuts In.

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among them Congressman A. Mitchell Palmer, National Committeeman from Pennsylvania.

National Chairman McCombs talked with Mr. Goltra, who has been in Florida with Mr. Bryan.

"I did not learn that Mr. Goltra was at the hotel until I was about to leave for New York," said Mr. Wilson. "We are old college friends. I'm sorry I missed him."

Besides Mr. McCombs, the Governor saw Senator Owen of Oklahoma and Col. E. M. House of Austin, Tex., and talked politics with them.

FINANCIERS APPROVE BACKBONE OF WILSON.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] Business men and public officials today joined in a chorus of approval of President-elect Wilson's proclamation that any panic promoter who attempts to start an artificial panic during his administration will be "hanged as high as Haman."

The President's declaration was hailed as proof that he possesses backbone and a sane vision, which, it is argued, will enable him to give powerful and effective stimulation to business confidence.

Among those who praised the President-elect were: John J. Mitchell, president of the Illinois Trust and Savings Bank; George M. Reynolds, president of the Continental and Commercial National Bank; J. C. F. Merrill, secretary of the Board of Trade, and other business men, bankers and public officials.

WILSON DAY AT STAUNTON.

President-elect to Be Entertained in Virginian Style in City of His Birth.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STAUNTON (Va.) Dec. 18.—President-elect Wilson today sent word to Staunton that he would arrive here at 7:50 p.m. Friday, December 27, to celebrate his fifty-sixth birthday in his native city and be entertained in the house of his birth.

Mr. Wilson will leave Trenton about o'clock Friday morning, passing through Washington shortly after 3 p.m. Along the rail route through Virginia to this city, bonfires will blaze a welcome as soon as darkness falls.

Preparations for the celebration are about complete. The city will be in gala attire and 30,000 visitors are expected. Gov. Mann and Mrs. Mann are expected to be among the guests of the city.

Shepard a Witness.

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ful, rainy night, and that I would remain at my hotel. We joked for a few minutes and that was the last I heard of her."

Despondency over the fact that a brother was ill was asserted to be the reason for the girl's decision to end her life. Neither Mrs. Shaw, a commercial chemist, nor Mrs. James R. Guthrie, wife of a Dubuque (Iowa) physician, her sister, nor other members of the girl's family, believed that Mr. Shepard knew more than he told.

GIRL'S STATEMENT.

Miss Maud Dowdell, who had a breakfast appointment with the girl and who went to the latter's room and found her dead, said tonight:

"Mr. Shepard was not concerned in the case except as a friend of the family. She was not engaged as intimated at the time."

Attempts tonight to locate Mr. Shepard by telephone in St. Louis where he now is assistant to President B. F. Bush of the Gould lines proved futile. Mrs. Frances Dowdell Shaw, mother of the girl, is now living in the South.

SHEPARD'S HOPES.

Mr. Shepard this afternoon for the first time gave out an intimate interview and told of his hopes and ambitions, that he wished above all else to develop the best that was in him and prove worthy of the love and trust of "the most loved lady in the nation," his fiancee.

Mr. Shepard spoke of the many branches of Miss Gould's work and said that he was chiefly interested in her school at Irvington, N. Y. He was asked his views on woman suffrage.

"Suffrage is a subject I haven't studied and should not like to discuss because I am prejudiced," he said. "I am opposed to anything that tends toward the further desecration of womanhood."

"Then you probably don't believe in women in business?"

"No, I don't," he replied.

WHAT IS A BUFFALO?

Question Whether He Is a Game or a Domestic Animal to Be Settled at Washington.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) Dec. 18.—The once-mighty buffalo is neither a game nor domestic animal. Just what he is will be determined by the government authorities in Washington as the result of a request for such a decision made by a livestock agent here today.

The case under consideration is the shipment of seven buffalo from the ranch of C. M. ("Buffalo") Jones, near Las Vegas, N. M., to a local packing-house for slaughter.

Government authorities at the packing-house said the buffalo could not be inspected by them, as they were not domestic beef animals. Animals cannot be slaughtered without the government's inspection stamp.

Political.

TAFT ACCEPTS PROFESSORSHIP.

Kent Chair at Yale Proves Most Attractive.

Law Practice at Cincinnati Too Restricted.

Will Have Time to Engage in Other Pursuits.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—President Taft has decided to accept the proffer of the Kent professorship of law at Yale and probably will take up his duties at New Haven in the spring.

The President was said tonight to have determined upon accepting the Yale professorship for several reasons. He will not be restricted merely to lectures to Yale students, but will be permitted to lecture if he desires in other law schools or upon the platform or to engage in any other occupation which he sees fit.

EMBARRASSING.

If the President had returned to Cincinnati to resume law practice he felt he would have but little opportunity for practice. He felt that he could not appear in cases before the United States Supreme Court because he has appointed a majority of its membership. He remembered when he thought of the law that he had named many Federal judges before whom he might have to argue cases, and he believed that about the only sort of practice he could take up would be international, and that he regarded as uncertain.

LIKE CLEVELAND.

At Yale the President will be in surroundings dear to him and in a position to engage in almost any sort of business fitting for an ex-President. The analogy between the Yale professorship and Grover Cleveland's relations with Princeton appealed to Mr. Taft strongly, and when many of his close friends wrote to him approving his acceptance of the chair at Yale he decided to take it.

NEVADA'S OFFICIAL VOTE. WILSON LEADS ALL.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CARSON (Nev.) Dec. 18.—An official canvass of the State vote concluded today gives Wilson 7986, Roosevelt 5630, Debs 2512, Taft, 3196. Key Pittman (Democrat) was elected United States Senator by 89 votes over Massey (Republican,) and E. E. Roberts (Republican) was elected to Congress by 69 votes over Tallman (Democrat.)

WILSON'S NIECE ON STAGE.

Relative by Marriage of President-elect Has Been Playing One-Night Stands.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Margot Howe, a niece by marriage of President-elect Woodrow Wilson, it was learned today, has been on the stage for the past three months. She is the wife of George Howe, who holds the chair of Latin in the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Miss Howe went on the road with Mme. Nazimova as Madame Miraud in "The Marionette" and played one-night stands until Nazimova appeared in "Bella Donna" at the Empire Theater, where there was no part for her.

BABY BY EXPRESS.

Father Ships Infant's Body in a Package to Undertaker at Denver for Burial in Hebrew Cemetery.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DENVER, Dec. 18.—David Boskin received an express package today. It was labeled "Glass, Handle with Care," and the value of the contents was placed at $10.

In the package was the body of a baby.

When the infant child of L. Rolstein, Laramie, Wyo., died, the father wished it to be buried in a Jewish cemetery. Therefore he decided to ship the body to Boskin, at Denver. The death certificate was sent by mail. The body was buried today according to the father's wishes.

POPE'S CHRISTMAS GREETINGS.

Mgr. Kennedy, Bishop of Adrianople, Brings Them to United States From Vatican.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] Christmas greetings from the Pope to the Catholics of America are brought today by Mgr. Thomas Kennedy, president of the American College at Rome, who has the title of Bishop of Adrianople.

Mgr. Kennedy arrived on the North German Lloyd liner Berlin. He will spend the holidays in Philadelphia.

INCORPORATED IN DELAWARE.

Papers of Sixty-Million-Dollar San Francisco Railroad Company Taken Out in the East.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DOVER (Del.) Dec. 18.—The California Railway and Power Company, with a capital of $60,000,000, was chartered here today. The purpose of the company, as indicated by the articles of incorporation, is to take over the United Railroads of San Francisco, the Sierra and San Francisco Power Company, the Coast Valleys Gas and Electric Company and the San Francisco Electric Railways. The concern will maintain offices in New York and San Francisco.

BELLE OF CONEY DIES.

Is Martyr to Her Desire for Beauty by Taking Too Much Bichloride of Mercury.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] Gara Zanarthas, a Grecian woman and the belle of Coney Island, died today, a martyr to her ambition to become the most beautiful of all women, and a victim of the advice of friends, who told her that if she took bichloride of mercury in small doses she would become beautiful beyond her wildest dream.

Theaters—Amusements—Entertainments.

HAMBURGER'S MAJESTIC THEATER—
Tonight and All Week—Popular Matinee Saturday
First time in this city of James Hallock Reid's New York success
THE CONFESSION
NIGHTS AND SATURDAY MATINEE, 50c TO $1.50.

Xmas Week Beginning SUNDAY Dec. 22
Big Xmas Matinee and Regular Matinee Saturday
SEATS GO ON SALE TODAY
One Year in LONDON
The Reigning Success of Two Continents
A Butterfly on the Wheel
PRICES: NIGHTS AND MATINEES, 50c TO $1.50.

MOROSCO'S BURBANK THEATER—
THE ONE BIG HIT OF THE WEEK
The Burbank stock company presents for the first time by a stock company anywhere, Paul Armstrong's famous success,
A ROMANCE of the UNDERWORLD
WHATEVER YOU DO, DON'T MISS THIS STIRRING PLAY.
NEXT WEEK—First time by any stock company of Blanche Bates' success, "NOBODY'S WIDOW." Seats are now on sale.

LYCEUM THEATER—
SPRING ST. Bet. 2nd and 3rd. OLIVER MOROSCO, Mgr. DICK FERRIS, Asst. Mgr.
ANOTHER GREAT LYCEUM HIT. POPULAR MATINEE TODAY 25c AND 50c
The Lyceum stock company offers for the first time here, a stock production of Willard Mack's stirring drama of the great west,
"IN GOD'S COUNTRY"
Matinees TODAY and Saturday, 25c and 50c. Nights, 25c, 50c, 75c and $1.00.
NEXT WEEK: HAL REID'S FAMOUS PLAY, "THE NIGHT BEFORE CHRISTMAS."

THE AUDITORIUM— THEATER BEAUTIFUL.
TOU CAN'T AFFORD TO MISS THIS.
TONIGHT and All Week—Matinee Saturday
The Biggest, Best and Most Sensational Novelty Entertainment Ever Seen in Los Angeles
THE GREAT RAYMOND
THE WORLD'S GREATEST ILLUSIONIST.
Santa Claus and His Silver Coach
FREE TOYS FOR ALL CHILDREN PRESENT EACH PERFORMANCE.
The GREAT RAYMOND has appeared before King Edward VII, King Emanuel, Kaiser Wilhelm, Czar Nicholas, King Leopold, Emperor Franz Josef, King Alfonso, Queen Wilhelmina, King Manuel, King Alfonso, the Mikado of Japan, and other crowned heads, and has received many decorations.
AT THE BOX OFFICE PRICES—25c, 50c, 75c and $1.50—NO HIGHER.

NEW MISSION THEATER— San Gabriel
Second Season Opens Dec. 22. Every Afternoon. Every Night, Sunday Included.
THE MISSION PLAY
By JOHN STEVEN McGROARTY.
Dramatic and Picturesque Reincarnation of Franciscan Romance and the Days of the Padres
Benjamin Horning In His Original Creation of Father Junipero Serra
With a splendid cast of one hundred artists, including
Miss Lucretia del Valle
Mexican Band and Orchestra. Indian Musicians, Spanish Singers and Dancers. Superb Scenic and Lighting Effects. Free Open Air Concert before each performance and between the acts in the Mission Play Gardens. The entire production under the personal stage direction of Mr. Benjamin Horning.
Tickets now on sale at Wiley B. Allen Co.'s Music Store, 233 South Broadway, Los Angeles, and the Mission Play Theater Box Office, San Gabriel.
PRICES, 50c, 75c and $1. Frequent rapid transit service by Pacific Electric and Southern Pacific.

MASON OPERA HOUSE— Klaw & Erlanger, Managers
Broadway, between First and Second. W. C. Wyatt, Resident Manager
All Week—Matinee Saturday
CARNEGIE MUSEUM
ALASKA-SIBERIA PICTURES
Nights, 7 and 9 p.m. Matinee Saturday. Prices 25c and 50c. Boxes $1.00
Special to School Children, 25c any part of house. Tickets on application to Box Office.

ALL NEXT WEEK—SEATS SELLING NOW
KLAW & ERLANGER'S STUPENDOUS INTERNATIONAL PRODUCTION
200 PEOPLE
BEN-HUR
12 Chariot Horses
NIGHT PRICES: Lower Floor, $2; First four rows Dress Circle, $2.50; Balance Dress Circle, $1.00; first four rows Balcony, 75c, remainder $50c.
Special Prices Xmas Matinee: Lower Floor, $1.50; Dress Circle $1.00; Balcony 50c.

PANTAGES BROADWAY VAUDEVILLE—
THE BIG HOLIDAY SHOW—DON'T MISS IT
A TRIP TO THE GARDEN OF ALLAH
HOWARD'S BEAR CIRCUS
THE STAGE DOOR JOHNNIES
AND FIVE OTHER CLEVER NUMBERS
MATINEES 2:30, NIGHTS 7:10 AND 9:05—10c, 20c, 30c.

BROADWAY, Between 6th and 7th—
Orpheum
ETHEL GREEN — Distinct Comedienne.
SCHICHTL'S ROYAL MARIONETTES.
AL RAYNO'S BULL DOGS.
SLIDE FOR LIFE.
AMERICA'S FOREMOST MIMIC.
ABSOLUTELY FREE.
"CALIFORNIA"
GEO. FELIX & BABES.
ADRIENNE AUGARDE & CO.
JAMES J. MORTON
"A Pillow of Roses"
NONETTE
Symphony Orchestra Concerts, 2 and 8 p.m. Week's Bill Changes Every Night at 8. 10-25-50-75c; Boxes, $1; Matinee at 2 DAILY, 10-25c.

CAWSTON Ostrich Farm— South Pasadena

Round-trip tickets 25c, including admission, at P. E. Depot or city salesroom, 213 South Broadway.

EMPRESS THEATER—
MATINEE DAILY—2 SHOWS EVERY NIGHT
PAUL SPADONI
A SHOW WORTH SEEING.
VAN & CARRIE AVERY
COME EARLY—10c-20c-30c—COME EARLY

THE BELASCO— WILL HEREAFTER BE KNOWN AS THE REPUBLIC AND WILL PRESENT MODERN
SIX ACTS VAUDEVILLE & Pictures
At Eastern Prices—10c and 15c—WHY PAY MORE?

MOZART THEATER—
EXCLUSIVE MOTION PICTURES ARE THEIR WORK.
Dante's "INFERNO" a Masterly Production.
Continuous, 1 to 5; 7 to 11. Prices 10c and 15c.

CENTURY THEATER—
Jules "Heinz" Mendel and the Century Maryettes
in the laugh provoking comedy success "A JOLLY GOOD TIME"
10-20-30c. Seats reserved one week in advance.

CLUNE'S—3 Theaters Broadway—Fifth St.—Grand
Five reels of first-run pictures. Different

Happenings o

Passionate.

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SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] If the fellow in Los Angeles who about noon last Monday held a long and animated communication with his sweetheart at Catalina Island by wireless telephone, will communicate with wireless operators C. H. Shimek and R. H. Shimek of the Pacific Mail liner San Jose, which arrived here today from Panama, he will be able to arrange with them to keep his secret.

Of course, the Los Angeles swain doesn't know what the wireless operators on the steamer San Jose heard; in fact, he does not know that anybody except the girl with the phones to her ears at the other end of the wireless heard the love message.

The Los Angeles man is mistaken, for what he told the girl in Catalina was heard by the ship's wireless men as they sat at their desk while the steamer was steaming up the coast only one hundred miles out to sea southwest of Los Angeles.

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At first he thought some one had crossed the wire leading from the antenna to the wireless-room and was talking with him.

Again came the "Hello." This time there was an answer. A conversation in support of which Shimek refuses to disclose followed between the Los Angeles man and the Catalina girl.

EXPERT SUCCEEDS CARNES.

H. S. Smith, a Federal Entomologist, Appointed Superintendent of State Insectary.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] While not announced officially by State Horticultural Commissioner Cook, it is known that H. S. Smith, a former United States expert, has been appointed to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of E. K. Carnes as superintendent of the State Insectary.

Smith will assume charge on New Year's Day, when Carnes goes with the Citrus Consolidated as horticultural expert, having charge of the spraying and care—keeping clear of pests and diseases—of the company's vast holdings in Northern California.

Smith is a University of Nebraska graduate and an entomologist. He has been in the United States Department of Agriculture, having helped in the investigation concerning the gypsy moth pest in Massachusetts. He went abroad in search of parasites to fight the moth.

For the last year he has been in charge engaged in investigations concerning the alfalfa weevil pest.

FACULTY NO REFUGE.

Court of Appeal Decides That Justice Must Be Defeated by Error Knowingly Permitted.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 18.—Associate Justice Hart in an opinion handed down today in the Third District Court of Appeal, denies to a party in suit the right to any advantage through a ruling which the party allowed to be made knowingly and for the purpose of defeating the ends of justice. This was in the case of The People, respondents, versus Sam C. Tomsky, who was convicted in the Yolo County Superior Court on a charge of stealing personal property by false pretenses. When time came for passing on the case, the court made an order setting aside the verdict on the ground that the defendant had not entered into the information under which he was prosecuted and adjudged guilty.

DIVORCES ARE NOT CRUELITY.

Decision of Reno Judge in the Case of a New York Woman Clamoring for a Divorce.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

RENO, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] Kisses bestowed by her husband upon other women and holding hands of other women and otherwise showing them marked attention during dances of a social card club in New York, were not considered sufficient to sustain the allegation of cruelty in the divorce case of Emma Campbell today. Judge Breen of the district court sitting for Judge Morgan, declared in denying Mrs. Campbell's husband Edward Campbell, Jr., a New York broker, a divorce. She is a daughter of Sir Lionel Lloyd.

Attorney Newkirk affirmed she had been struck by Campbell.

BOY KILLED HIM.

Body of Sacramento Man Held Dead After Visit of Relatives From Los Angeles.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The funeral of Cope, 42 years old, who died in Oakdale last Monday, will be held this afternoon in this city.

Alfred Willke of Los Angeles, brother-in-law of Mr. Cope, had gone to Oakdale to spend the Christmas holidays with the parents. She went to the home of the company where her husband was employed to surprise him, but that the sudden joy of seeing the unexpected apparition of his daughter was the cause of his death.

Cope is survived by his wife and his son, Harold. He was a prominent real estate dealer in this city.

Happenings on the Pacific Slope.

Pantomite.

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Supreme Court Decides That Justice Cannot Be Defeated by Error Knowingly Committed.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

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NOT CRUELTY.

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[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] Deserted by her husband for another woman and holding that other women and others have married attention of a social card club in which was not considered sufficient the allegation of cruelty in the divorce case of Emma Lehr, Judge Breen of the Supreme Court for Judge Morgan, denied Mrs. Campbell's husband, Campbell, Jr., a New Jersey man, is a daughter of Mrs. Lehr.

Mrs. Campbell affirmed she had been cruelly treated by Campbell.

WHO KILLED HIM.

Sacramento Man Held Without Bail After Visit of Officers From Los Angeles.

[BY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The funeral of Cope, 47 years old, who died in Oakdale last Monday afternoon in this city, was attended by friends of Los Angeles, where Cope had gone to spend the Christmas holidays. She went to Oakdale, where her husband was employed, to surprise him, but the sudden joy caused by the unexpected appearance was the cause of death.

Cope's daughter, Cope is survived by his son, Cope's real estate

TO KILL SLAVE TRAFFIC.

Federal Officers Plan Continuous Raids on Chinatown Until Evil Is Completely Stamped Out.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—Chinatown will be raided as often as the Federal officers here think necessary, until they are convinced that the traffic in slave girls, against which the government has fought fruitlessly for years, has been thoroughly broken up. This was the declaration made today after a spectacular raid last night on a prison house from which four slave girls and six men were taken to the City Prison.

United States Attorney McNab believes he has evidence enough to reach the ring which finances the traffic and which has always existed, though never broken into.

Examination of the house raided shows that it was especially built for the uses to which it was put. The windows were iron-barred, communication between the four floors was by ladder only, and the cell-like rooms in which the inmates were cabined were secured by heavy locks.

Proficiency.

FRESHMAN CLASS EXHIBITS FROCKS.

SIXTY-THREE GIRLS SEW THEIR OWN DRESSES.

Each One of Them a Real Creation and a Dream Along Artistic Lines, Though Not One Cost as Much as Four Dollars—Success of Practical Education.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the San Francisco Girls' High School is an exhibit of sixty-three party dresses, made by sixty-three girls in the freshman class of the institution, putting to shame many a creation costing over $25. The dresses are a silent rebuke to the muckrakers who say "there is something wrong with the educational system of the country."

Every dress is a dream of artistic lines, substantial sewing and combination of colors. And no frock cost more than $3.50. Many cost more than a dollar less than that amount, which was pronounced the limit of money which might be expended for materials. The success of the several effects, then, is due entirely to the workmanship of the maker, and everything she did or knew about the dress was learned this term in the public school.

The dresses are to be left on exhibition all week, and anyone who doubts that a pretty dress can be evolved by a school girl and for less than the day's wages of many a high school girl's father is invited to visit the auditorium and see the array.

Miss Greer, the sewing teacher, says that the introduction of this work in the schools has received the most hearty indorsement of parents and of the Board of Education, and that scores of mothers tell her they learn much that is practical in sewing from their daughters.

Innovation.

TO TAX AUTOS BY HORSEPOWER.

NEW PLAN TO RAISE REVENUE FOR STATE HIGHWAY.

Bill to Be Introduced at Coming Session of Legislature Which Would Result in an Income to Commonwealth of Six Hundred Thousand Dollars a Year.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 18.—The State Highway Commission may be instrumental in having a bill introduced in the Legislature at the coming session changing the laws relating to the State tax on automobiles so as to have the license governed by the horse power instead of being uniform as at present.

The plan—which will be whipped into the form of a proposed bill—is to provide through this method of taxation about $600,000 a year and to use this revenue for the purpose of maintaining the State highways being constructed under the $18,000,000 bond issue.

This proposal was discussed at the meeting of the State Advisory Board to the Department of Engineering yesterday afternoon in the office of the Governor.

Two Trackmen Killed.

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Two Santa Fe trackmen were killed at noon today, run down by passenger train No. 9 at Maine Station.

The first symptom of croup is horseness. When Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, the attack can always be averted.—[Advertisement.

Salt Lake City and Ogden $50.00 Round Trip.

Tickets on sale via Salt Lake Route daily from Los Angeles and other stations. Good six months for return. Particulars at all ticket offices.

FOR Christmas and New Year holidays the Salt Lake Route will sell tickets between all stations in California and Nevada at reduced fares. Dates of sale, December 21 to 25 and 28 to January 1. Return limits, January 2 and 3. Particulars at all ticket offices. Los Angeles, 601 S. Spring st.

Try Murine Eye Remedy for Red, Weak, Watery Eyes and Granulated Eyelids

THE TIMES' MIDWINTER NUMBER will be issued on January 1 next. This widely read issue, containing 192 pages, consisting of six illustrated magazine parts, with illuminated covers and copiously illustrated throughout, has always proved a profitable medium for classified advertisers, especially to those desiring to sell or exchange country real estate and city residences, or to exploit business chances and investments. The country-wide circulation of the forthcoming Midwinter Number will exceed 200,000 copies, and the issue will afford display and classified advertisers a splendid opportunity to reach thousands of homeseekers and investors. Classified advertisements, 5 cents a word. Minimum charge, $1. Copy must be in Times Office before December 20, 1912. Display advertising rates furnished on application.

THE TIMES-MIRROR COMPANY.

Roads.

ASKED TO RUSH STATE HIGHWAYS

Commission Hears Delegates of Four Counties.

Placer Wants Lateral from Auburn to Tahoe.

Solano Is Ready to Issue Million in Bonds.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 18.—Solano, Placer, San Luis Obispo and Santa Barbara counties today had representatives before the State Highway Commission for the purpose of recommending routes for State highways.

The Solano delegation urged the commission to route the State highway from the North to the bay district diagonally through Solano county to include Davisville, Dixon, Batavia, Vacaville, Fairfield, Rockville, Cordelia and Benicia. The delegation informed the commission that the county was contemplating a $1,000,000 bond issue to improve its roads, but could not organize and carry out this project until it was definitely known just what course the highway would take through the county.

THE PLACER ROAD.

The Placer county delegation asked the commission to begin as soon as possible a survey for a highway lateral from Auburn to connect with the main trunk line at Tahoe. The proposed lateral would include Auburn, Newcastle, Penryn, Loomis, Rockland and Roseville. It would be the completing link in the State highway project between Sacramento and Tahoe into Nevada, and would ultimately connect with the proposed transcontinental highway. It was declared there was great need to accomplish something before the 1915 fair influx of visitors and home-seekers.

Both delegations assured the commission of rights of way and bridges free.

WANT ROUTE CHANGED.

The San Luis Obispo county delegation recommended a change in the proposed route between Arroyo Grande and San Luis Obispo to include the hill route instead of the Pismo Beach survey, which has tentatively been agreed on by the commission's engineers.

The Santa Barbara delegation protested against the choice made of a route in that section and wanted the road to follow the Santa Ynez River, but the commission insisted that the decision had been reached only after fullest investigation.

ATTACK COUNTY LIQUOR LAW.

Attorneys Contend Ordinance at Santa Rosa Conflicted with State Measure Regulating Traffic.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SANTA ROSA (Cal.) Dec. 18.—Whether a county ordinance providing restrictions of the sale of liquor conflicts with the Wylie State law, was argued today in the Superior Court of Sonoma. The contention of the lawyers for the defense was that the local ordinance does conflict with the State law, and therefore is unconstitutional.

The case is an attempt to combat the legality of the recently-enacted ordinance that provides that outside incorporated towns no liquor may be sold except by the proprietors of a hotel with at least thirty-five rooms.

The argument of the defense is that the Wylie law provides for a general regulation of the liquor business and that the county ordinance is unconstitutional because it discriminates.

RELIGION IN SAN JOAQUIN.

All Denominations Join to Take Complete Census of the Sects of the County.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STOCKTON (Cal.) Dec. 18.—Plans were discussed tonight and a decision made to take a religious census of San Joaquin county. Catholics, Jews and all of the Protestant churches will share in the completion of the work. Over 500 census takers will be employed and the entire city and county will be completed in one afternoon. President J. C. Ahrens of the census organization has mapped the city and county and thoroughly systematized the work to be done. In connection with the work a complete census of the county will be taken for promotion purposes.

SHOT DOWN IN FLIGHT.

Alleged Saloon Hold-up, Seriously Wounded at Tucson, Asks That Bishop of Montana be Notified.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TUCSON (Ariz.) Dec. 18.—After what was believed to have been an attempt to hold up a saloon, John Jess was shot in a running battle early today and probably fatally wounded. Two men, who were with him at the time, James E. Howard and James Roach, were arrested. Howard says he is a prominent mining man of northern Arizona.

Jess was shot in the back, but the police believed he was merely feigning drunkenness, and his wound was not discovered until late today. He asked that Bishop Carroll of Helena, Mont., be notified.

Jess and his companions entered the saloon with drawn revolvers. The bartender slipped out and notified the police that a hold-up was in progress. A running fight followed. Jess ran four blocks before he fell. His companions were captured soon afterward.

DOES NOT REMEMBER JESS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HELENA (Mont.) Dec. 18.—When told today that John Jess, who was shot and wounded in Tucson, Ariz., had requested that he be notified, Bishop John P. Carroll of Helena stated he had no recollection of having known Jess and knew of no reason why Jess should desire that he be notified. Jess is not known here.

BURKE'S Dry Gin can be had at all stores and bars. Don't be put off with any other. "Burke's" Gin is par excellence.

Store Open Evenings Until Christmas

Christmas PIANO Bargains for Every

"Musicless" Home—Splendid Price Reductions—Exceptionally Easy Terms

Our Christmas piano specials this year eclipse our every other former effort. Every new piano in the house is offered at a genuine reduction for the Christmas trade. You will find standard makes in Circassian Walnut, Mahogany, American Walnut, Fumed Oak and other cases at splendid reductions. Here are three specials for the moderate purse.

$375 Piano.. $300 | $350 Piano. $295 | $300 Piano.. $225

This Guaranteed PLAYER PIANO $435

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DRIED FRUIT ASSOCIATION.

European Demand for California Produce On Increase, According to Report of Packers.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STOCKTON (Cal.) Dec. 18.—Delegates to the California Dried Fruit Association left for their homes tonight after election of the following offices: President, C. W. Griffin, San Francisco, vice-president, Leslie Smith, Armona; treasurer, Alex Goldstein, San Francisco.

The following are the board of directors: H. W. Johnson, Fresno; L. J. Griffin, Fresno; George W. Herbert, San Jose, and M. L. McDonald, Jr., Santa Rosa.

Henry T. Dimond of San Francisco was chosen as permanent secretary with headquarters in San Francisco. The meeting place for next year will be decided later.

One of the reports presented showed that 23,000 tons of fruit were shipped through the port of San Francisco during the season, although it was stated that export shipments were about 10,000 tons less than in 1911 because of rates deemed unsatisfactory. The packers agreed that the European demand for California dried fruits was increasing rapidly and furnishing an important outlet for the products exported.

MAY BE A NEW TONOPAH.

Rush of Mining Men to Rochester Canyon Follows Discovery of Big Ore Veins.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RENO (Nev.) Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Scenes enacted in the palmy days of Tonopah and Goldfield are being repeated at Rochester Canyon, twenty-four miles northeast of Lovelock, Nev., where a rush of mining men and prospectors has occurred during the last ten days following the discovery of a vein of rich silver and gold ore three to seven feet wide and 1000 feet long in the outcropping.

If the ore goes to a depth a new Tonopah has been discovered, according to Thomas B. Ramsey of Reno who staked out most of the claims in Goldfield, including the Mohawk, Red Top and Laguna group, which now go to make up the great property of the Goldfield Consolidated. Mr. Ramsey has just returned from a five days' trip of inspection at Rochester Canyon.

The entire surrounding country is taken up with claims and all the ledge in sight is being worked by ten groups of leasers who are simply shooting down the outcropping with dynamite and sacking for shipment. The ore averages $65 a ton, mostly in silver. The automobile stage from Lovelock has been working overtime carrying newcomers into the district.

FRANKLIN PORTRAIT SOLD.

Life-Size Picture of Statesman Painted While He Was in England Brings High Price.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Baron Chamberlain's portrait of Benjamin Franklin, nearly a full-length picture of the American statesman, painted while he was on his first mission to England, was sold at auction today for $14,000. This picture was one of a number of portraits in the collection of Col. Van der Weyer, who got them through his maternal grandfather, Joshua Bates, of Boston.

PASS IMMIGRATION BILL.

Burnett Measure Providing Illiteracy Tests for Immigrants Adopted by Large Vote in House.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] Checking a short filibuster engineered by Representative Mann, the minority leader, the House today passed the Burnett Immigration Bill by a vote of 178 to 52. The measure amends existing immigration laws by requiring that aliens shall be subjected to an illiteracy test when applying for admission to this country. This caused bitter opposition from both Republicans and Democrats whose districts contain a large foreign element.

In order to put through the Immigration Bill today Representative Burnett was forced to move to dispense with business on the regular Wednesday calendar. With one exception, "Calendar Wednesday" has heretofore been regarded as sacred by House members, and various attempts to set aside this calendar have been frustrated. Mr. Burnett, however, marshaled the required two-thirds vote today and the passage of the Immigration Bill before the adjournment for the holiday season was assured.

Representative Mann, who prevented action on the bill last night by demanding that an "engrossed copy" of the bill be read, abandoned his filibuster shortly after noon today, when it became apparent that the bill was destined to pass despite all parliamentary obstacles. The vote was non-partisan.

The Burnett bill is a substitute for the Dillingham measure, which passed the Senate last session. The Senate bill proposed a revision of all existing immigration laws while the House bill substituted merely amends the law by providing that aliens above the ages of 16 who are unable to read and write English or some other language, shall be listed among the "excluded classes." Immigrants who show that they are fleeing from religious persecution are exempted from the provision of the House bill.

THE MEXICAN CONGRESS.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 18.—Congress will convene in extraordinary session on December 20 to take up the unfinished business of the session which closed last Sunday.

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APPOINTMENTS ARE HELD UP.

Democrats Win First Round Against Confirmation.

Republican Senators Fight the Filibuster.

All Historical Precedents Are Violated.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—The long threatened fight in the Senate over the confirmation of President Taft's nominations broke on the floor of the Senate today and in the first skirmish the Democrats were successful in preventing an executive session demanded by Senator Cullom.

The results of the encounter were uncertain tonight but the Republicans threaten to continue efforts tomorrow to secure an executive session for action on the scores of appointments now pending.

A Democratic caucus early in the day in which the Democrats agreed to permit the confirmation only of army and navy appointments paved the way for the fight. In the midst of a speech by Senator Smith of Georgia, Senator Cullom, representing the Republican forces, demanded an executive session. The Democrats filibusted against the motion, rushing out into the cloak rooms on the roll call to break a quorum, and succeeded in delaying action until the court of impeachment convened for the Archbald trial. Republican leaders said tonight they would continue to demand that all appointments be treated in executive session on their merits.

"We will move for an unrestricted executive session again at the first opportunity and we will continue our efforts until something comes from them," said Senator Cullom.

"If the Democrats want to take responsibility we are willing, but they will have to take it before the country."

DEMOCRATIC EXCUSE.

"We were not going to let the Republicans put us in a corner without warning," said Senator Hoke Smith.

"The President has dumped upon us the nominations that have been accumulating for the last six months. We have a committee making an investigation of them but there are hundreds of them and we have not been able to procure the information necessary to enable us to act upon them intelligently. We are willing to take the responsibility if that is what is wanted.

"The Democrats are anxious for the confirmation of the army and navy nominations. I have prepared a motion for an executive session for action only upon these appointments, which I will offer as a substitute for any motion the Republicans may make."

VIOLATE PRECEDENTS.

On the basis of figures they have compiled from the records Republican leaders are claiming that their Democratic colleagues are violating all precedents in holding up the nominations of President Taft. During the final sessions of the Arthur, Harrison and the two Cleveland administrations, they cite figures to show the bulk of the nominations were given approval by the Senate.

"The figures show what the precedents in American history are," said Senator Smoot of Utah. "They show how the Democrats are violating the precedents in taking actions to prevent the confirmation of those nominations.

"The Republicans are not attempting to have confirmed officials whose terms expire after the next administration begins. They are insisting that the Senate follow the custom and confirm nominations to fill places where commissions have expired or which will become vacant before the Taft administration is ended. In some cases the commissions have already expired, in others the places will be vacant unless nominations are confirmed at this session of Congress. It is such nominations and these alone the Republicans are seeking to have confirmed."

NOT LIKELY TO PASS.

Bristow Bill to Choose Postmasters at Town Primary Places Democrats in Embarrassing Position.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] Senator Bristow, the Kansas insurgent, gave the Democrats a bad scare today when he introduced his bill providing a town meeting or primary to name the postmaster in every town where the compensation amounts to over $300 a year. Such a step would, of course, deprive the Democratic committeemen of the privilege of naming the postmasters and so utilizing Federal appointments to strengthen their political fences.

There is little likelihood that the Bristow bill will become a law, at least in the immediate future, but it may place the Democrats in an embarrassing position. While they are desperately anxious to avail themselves of all the spoils in sight, they want to do it as surreptitiously as possible, and they are reluctant to come out into the open in their opposition to the merit system.

If the Bristow idea should take hold of the imagination of the people of the smaller towns, it would be an embarrassing and a dangerous thing to oppose. There are many misgivings on the Democratic side regarding the attitude of President Wilson toward a disposition of the spoils among members of Congress. The future President made his followers none too happy by his recent declaration that the prospect of dealing out patronage was "hateful" to him.

GOETHALS IS WILLING.

Army Engineer in Charge of Canal Will Be Appointed Governor of Zone After Christmas Holidays.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—President Taft has received assurances that Col. George Goethals, builder of the Panama Canal, will accept the post of Governor of the Panama canal zone.

His nomination probably will be sent to the Senate after the President's return from Panama.

G. H. Torney Reappointed.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] President Taft has decided to reappoint George H. Torney surgeon-general of the army, and his nomination probably will be sent to the Senate tomorrow.

Sixty-second Congress.

WOULD ELECT POSTMASTERS.

Bristow Throws Big Scare Into Democrats.

Term Under Proposed Act to Be Five Years.

Wilson's Anti-Spoils Views Cause Misgivings.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Senator Bristow of Kansas today introduced a bill providing for a preference primary for the appointment of postmasters, which would effect the appointment of every postmaster in the United States who receives $300 or more a year.

Senator Bristow's plan is to hold a nominating election for postmasters hereafter where vacancies occur for the postoffice, filling the office by the voice of the people. The candidate receiving the largest number of votes cast in the nominating district would be appointed by the Postmaster-General and would serve five years.

Only after full hearing on written charges could a postmaster be removed and in such a contingency, the Postmaster would not be eligible for renomination. The bill provides that the nominating election may be held at the time of the county, State, local or municipal election next preceding the expiration of the term of the postmaster, at the discretion of the Postmaster-General.

NAMES GROSSCUP'S SUCCESSOR.

JUDGE CARPENTER PROMOTED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—President Taft sent to the Senate yesterday the nomination of George A. Carpenter, at present United States judge of the Northern District of Illinois, as Circuit judge to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Peter S. Grosscup. The nomination of Charles S. Cutter to succeed Judge Carpenter was also made. Democratic Senators today ordered a caucus tomorrow to determine whether action should be taken on any of the President's nominees before the holidays.

LEVY PLAN FUTILE.

BURY MONEY RESOLUTION.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—The Glass subcommittee of the House Banking and Currency Committee has agreed upon a unanimous report characterizing as futile the resolution by Representative Levy of New York, directing the Secretary of the Treasury to relieve the continued stringency in the money market by depositing in the national banks throughout the country $50,000,000 out of the balance of the general fund in the treasury.

ELK MAY GO THROUGH OREGON.

Interior Department Notified Sate Game Warden to Permit Passage of Yellowstone Animals.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Representative Raker recently secured permission from the Department of the Interior for the transfer of fifty elk from the Yellowstone National Park to the Shasta Forest Reserve, at the request of the Redding Game Association.

Raker was notified today that the game warden of Oregon would not permit the transportation of the animals through his State on the ground that the Wyoming elk is a different species from the Roosevelt elk, which inhabit the Pacific Coast country, and there would be danger of their intermingling. Raker protested to the United States Biological Survey, which today telegraphed the Oregon authorities to permit passage of the elk.

MANIAC KILLS GIRL.

Posse Searching for Desperate Lunatic Recently Escaped From Insane Asylum at Napa.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NAPA (Cal.) Dec. 18.—Miss Rosa Lemos was shot and killed and John Havila was injured this afternoon by Lafayette Newell, recently escaped from the State Asylum for the Insane at Napa. A posse is searching for Newell.

Newell escaped three weeks ago, and ten days ago he appeared at the ranch of Joseph Lemos and stole a rifle and provisions. This afternoon he reappeared at the ranch and attempted to attack Miss Lemos, who fought him off.

Newell finally shot and killed the young woman, and hid her body under her bed.

Then he waited until a half-hour later, when Havila came to the house. Newell shot Havila in the arm and the men clinched. Havila disarmed Newell and the latter fled.

MORO KILLS CAPTAIN.

Lieutenant Is Seriously Wounded Before Assistant Is Slain by Fellow-Officer of American Victim's.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

MANILA, Dec. 19.—Capt. John Watson of the Eighth Cavalry, stationed at Augur Barracks, Jolo, was killed last night by a Moro who sneaked within the lines of a detachment encamped at Seit Lake, according to reports received from Jolo this morning. Lieut. Kinzie D. Edmunds was seriously wounded.

Hearing the cries of the officer, Capt. Rush Wells dashed into the tent and killed the Moro.

KENNET DOUBLY AFFLICTED.

Infantile Paralysis Is Added to Smallpox Epidemic That Prevails in Shasta County.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

KENNET (Cal.) Dec. 18.—That smallpox epidemic that has been prevalent in Shasta county developed here today, and at the same time four cases of infantile paralysis were reported. Of the latter two victims are women and two are children. A quarantine has been established and the schools are closed.

Ruthless.

AMERICAN OWNED LINE DESTROYED BY REBELS.

[BY A. P NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

EL PASO (Tex.) Dec. 18.—Destruction of the Mexico Northwestern Railway below Juarez has been almost complete, report railway men who arrived here today on handcars and afoot. With forty-five railway trestles already burned, the rebels today continued their destruction of the American-owned line within twenty miles of Juarez, where 600 Federal troops are stationed. The garrison commander refused to send troops from the border town.

The Federal garrison at Guzman is isolated with burned bridges on either side. When he attempted to extinguish the flaming structure, J. Morris, the railway's roadmaster, was taken prisoner and carried into the hills. The rebels have appeared below Juarez in groups of from 100 to 200 men each, while the main body is reported to remain in the Casas Grandes district. No communication could be secured today with the American lumbering centers at Pearson and Madera.

A battalion of infantry is expected tomorrow from Chihuahua City, over the Mexican Central Railway, which so far remains open. Four hundred semi-civilized Indians taken prisoner in recent battles in the State of Oaxaca arrived at the state capital today and were recruited as Federal volunteers.

STRIKERS NUMBER THOUSAND. SMELTER IS STILL WORKING.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CANANEA (Mex.) Dec. 18.—The number of striking Mexican miners was swelled to 1000 late today when all of the men employed at the Pueblocitos mine of the Cananea Consolidated Copper Company quit work. The smelter and concentrator are still operating. There was no trouble today the Federal troops preserving order throughout the camp.

Peril.

RUDDERLESS STEAMSHIP BUMPS ON HUMBOLDT BAR.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

EUREKA (Cal.) Dec. 18.—Her rudder lost by bumping on the Humboldt Bar, the steamship City of Topeka of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company's line virtually is helpless tonight off Humboldt Bay. There are 140 passengers aboard, but Capt. George Zeh has sent by wireless word that the vessel is safe and that she will be towed to San Francisco by the steamer Maverick, now steaming toward Eureka.

The Topeka departed from here at 5 o'clock this afternoon. The bar was rough and it was low water. She was struck by three big seas and after crossing the bar came to anchor. Capt. Zeh sent a wireless that he would rig a jury rudder and proceed, but at 7 o'clock tonight he reached by wireless the Maverick and she turned back from off Cape Mendocino for the purpose of taking the Topeka in tow.

Ursa Major.

RUSSIAN BEAR PROTESTS HIS UNSELFISHNESS.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 18.—A desire for the preservation of European peace, combined with the determination to defend with the nation's whole strength Russia's vital interests, was the keynote of a speech on Balkan affairs made by Premier Kokovsoff in the duma today.

M. Kokovsoff paid a tribute to the war-like virtues and the unanimity of the Balkan peoples. He said that as the great Slavonic and orthodox power, Russia could not be indifferent as to "whether they obtain better terms of existence and thus avert dangerous complications in the future."

RUSSIA'S ATTITUDE.

He continued: "The Russian government is glad it has not to change its calm attitude. There is no ground for suspecting Russia of selfish designs or of a desire to aggravate conflicts. The fundamental principles that will guide the Russian government when the hour for final decision has sounded are indicated by our past.

"Faithful to her alliance with France and to her friendly agreements with other great powers, and sure of the latter's support, she sees no use in setting up one group of powers against another.

"Any government that would abandon the ground of a common discussion of fundamental questions by obtruding its own immediate interests would be assuming the grave moral responsibility of possible international complications.

"The great powers have too powerful reasons for endeavoring to prevent the development of complications which might menace European peace. "The Russian government hopes the united efforts by which the powers are inspired will help them to arrive at an agreement that will reconcile their interests with the just demands of the Balkan states.

DESIRE TO CO-OPERATE.

"Actuated by the sincere desire to co-operate with all the means in its power in the preservation of European peace, the Russian government expresses the hope that, with the help of the Almighty, the efforts of the powers will be crowned with success and that events in the future will not harmfully affect the vital interests of Russia which we are called upon to defend with all our strength in the name of the honor and the dignity of our country."

The Premier prefaced his speech by notifying the duma of the intention of the Russian government to ask for further credits to enable it to perfect its system of national defense. He concluded by congratulating Great Britain on its initiative in suggesting an ambassadorial discussion of the points at issue in Europe.

AUSTRO-SERVIAN DISPUTE.

REPORT THAT IT IS ENDED.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Dec. 19.—The Belgrade correspondent of the Daily Mail sends the following:

"I learn that the Austro-Servian dispute has been solved. Servia will recognize an autonomous Albania, receiving the use of a commercial port on the Albanian coast, connected with Servia by a neutral railway.

"The Servian Minister of Railways is leaving Belgrade for London for the purpose of giving technical advice to the Servian peace delegates."

Los Angeles Daily Times.

PITH OF THE DAY'S NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Although a cold wave was predicted last night, it failed to show up today and, according to the forecaster, it has been sidetracked so far as Chicago is concerned. A light snow fell this afternoon for a few minutes. Otherwise the weather was of the London variety. The maximum temperature today was 36 deg. and the minimum 31 deg. West wind, eleven miles an hour. Other temperatures:

	Max.	Min.
Alpena	36	32
Bismarck	18	4
Cairo	40	14
Cincinnati	42	34
Cleveland	42	32
Concordia	40	26
Davenport	32	28
Denver	48	18
Des Moines	30	26
Detroit	38	32
Devil's Lake	20	14
Dodge City	46	24
Dubuque	30	28
Duluth	18	10
Escanaba	28	22
Grand Rapids	36	32
Green Bay	28	24
Helena	44	22
Huron	24	12
Indianapolis	36	30
Kansas City	34	28
Marquette	24	20
Memphis	44	38
Milwaukee	34	24
Omaha	30	24
St. Louis	34	32
St. Paul	26	16
Sault Ste. Marie	34	24
Springfield, Ill.	34	30
Springfield, Mo.	32	28
Wichita	42	26

FOR A WHITE AUSTRALIA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—"The Mississippi Valley will be the greatest beneficiary of the Panama Canal," Neil Neilsen, Member of Parliament for New South Wales, in Australia, said in an address to the Australasian Society of Chicago here last night. Mr. Neilsen said that Australia is erecting barriers against immigration on the part of alien races. "We are for a white Australia," he said. "We are within seven days' sail of the millions of Africa and we would soon be swamped if immigration were unrestricted."

IT WAS SANTA, ANYWAY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

COLORADO SPRING (Colo.) Dec. 18.—Shoeless, clad in rags, half starved, three small children of John Junce, woodchopper, were huddled together, deep in the tale of Santa Claus, last night, when State Humane Agent Reynolds, led by a fourth Junce child, opened the door of the hut, located in a little forest clearing, seven miles from Husted. "He's come already," cried the youngest, 5 years old. The children were brought here and will be given good homes.

GIRL KILLS THREE WOLVES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HUDSON (Colo.) Dec. 18.—Miss Dora Shaffer has three more pelts today in her collection, than when she started from home yesterday to pay a neighborly visit. On her way she was attacked by three wolves. She shot and skinned them and continued on her way.

BANK PRESIDENT ACQUITTED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DENVER, Dec. 18.—J. D. Cunningham, president of the defunct First National Bank of Rocky Ford, was found not guilty today in the United States District Court on the charge of misapplication of the bank's funds. The jury disagreed on four other counts charging false entries and reports to the Comptroller of the Treasury.

ROB MISSOURI BANK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MODENA (Mo.) Dec. 18.—Five men robbed the Bank of Modena of $3000 at an early hour yesterday, terrorized the town by shooting at everyone whom they could see and escaped, presumably in buggies.

COULDN'T HELP STEALING.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 18.—A confessed kleptomaniac, Harry Van Waringa, tearfully told Judge Porterfield in the Criminal Court here yesterday that he was powerless to quit stealing, and the judge revoked a parole and ordered the prisoner to penitentiary to serve eight years for forgery. Mrs. Van Waringa formerly was secretary to Cornelius Roach, Secretary of the State of Missouri. She married Van Waringa after securing his release from the penitentiary.

GOODSPEED TO RETIRE.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] Thomas Wakefield Goodspeed, secretary of the board of trustees and registrar of the University of Chicago, is going to retire. He is 70 years old. He raised the first $400,000 for the university after John D. Rockefeller had offered to give $600,000 on the condition that the rest of the $1,000,000 be raised in Chicago.

MILLIONS IN BACK TAXES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) Dec. 18.—The Supreme Court handed down a decision yesterday affecting the collection of taxes and penalties on $168,000,000 worth of property held by a number of the heaviest property owners in Cook county. The suit was brought by Frank W. Jones to compel the board of review of Cook county to assess personal property that had been omitted from the personal property assessment for 1905 to 1910. Some of the largest amounts of stock involved in the list filed by Jones in 1910 and held by the court to be subject to assessment are: J. Ogden Armour, $22,119,700; Edward Morris, $29,919,700; Joy Morton, $6,600,000; Arthur Meeker, $5,370,000; John J. Mitchell, $4,020,000; Louis F. Swift, $5,129,000; E. F. Swift, $5,026,000; B. E. Sunny, $3,625,000; Richard W. Sears, $3,250,000; Julius Rosenwald, $4,789,000.

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Mrs. Graham Tufts Testifies in Chicago Court.

To Annul Divorce of Man in Los Angeles Jail.

Second Wife Aiding First in Her Fight.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Mary H. Tufts, who alleges she was deserted by her husband, Gorham Tufts, ex-missionary to India, "love god" and "miracle worker," began the recital of the story of desertion by her husband in Liverpool, Eng., in July, 1906, before Judge McKinley in the Superior Court today.

Mrs. Tufts is seeking to have set aside the decree of divorce granted to her husband by Judge Dupuy, in February, 1910, after he had given alleged false testimony that she deserted him August 13, 1904, while he was at his missionary station in the Himalaya Mountains on the border of Nepal and Thibet in India.

TUFTS IN LOS ANGELES JAIL.

Tufts is now in jail at Los Angeles awaiting the disposition of an appeal from a decision finding him guilty of misappropriating $90,000 belonging to his second wife, Mrs. Annie Scranton Roe, ranch owner.

Tufts, as well as Mrs. Roe, who has obtained court permission to drop the name "Tufts," is represented by counsel before Judge McKinley. Mrs. Tufts is aiding Mrs. Tufts in her fight.

While giving her testimony today Mrs. Tufts, who showed plain traces of the suffering which she has endured, frequently sobbed, but did not interrupt the telling of her story.

"I was married to Mr. Tufts here in Chicago, February 23, 1895," she began in answer to questions by her counsel, Attorney Willard M. McEwen. "My husband was conducting a rescue home at the time, later opened a girls' home and finally took charge of a men's mission called 'The Lord's Yard.' In 1901 both of us went to India. I went a few months ahead of my husband and we stayed there until 1906, when we went to England."

"What did your husband do in India?" asked McEwen.

MISSION IN INDIA.

"He was supposed to have charge of a mission and I went along to take care of the children. In Calcutta he opened a Bible school, which was attended by young men among the natives, but the place he opened up in Bombay was called an orphanage because we had many orphans there."

Mrs. Tufts in his deposition, says she left him in India. Was it your intention of deserting him at that time?

"No, and he knew that such was not my intention."

Tufts declared that she took the children of other missionaries while her husband was in India. In July, 1906, went with him to Colombo, India, to a small station outside of Liverpool, Eng. "He deserted me July 13, 1906, and returned to America," Mrs. Tufts declared.

"I had only a quarter when he left me in the Young Women's Christian Association in Liverpool."

What reason did he give for not taking you with him to America?" asked McEwen.

"He said he did not have funds for me, but I knew that he could borrow money," Mrs. Tufts said. "I looked the papers for the arrival of ships that he took to America, but never received any word from him except a letter mailed to me before he sailed from Liverpool saying good-by."

STRANDED IN LIVERPOOL.

Mrs. Tufts said she received financial assistance from a young woman missionary and from an institution and paid her back. She received money from relatives in America. Between the time her husband left her and July, 1909, she worked and stopped at public institutions, "workhouses," she termed them, and for more than two years was an inmate of an insane asylum at Liverpool.

She finally returned to America in July, 1909, with a sister who had been in England for her. She went to Washington, D. C., to live. She is a Chicago resident and supports herself by working as a nurse.

Her children were born to the union in Chicago and the others there. The daughter, Alice, who is now 13 years old, lives at Park Ridge and attends the High School there, and the two boys, Fletcher and Gorham Warner, 12 and 14 years old, respectively, are in the McKinley Industrial School at Los Angeles. The fourth child died.

Mrs. Tufts was the only witness to take the stand today, and Judge McKinley announced that he would give his decision, passing upon the custody of the children, at noon Saturday.

BODY OF THE DAUGHTER.

Attorney Albert A. Kraft, who represents Tufts in his original suit for divorce, has custody of the daughter Alice. He made the statement in court today that she does not care to go to Los Angeles. The girl will be brought to court Saturday and questioned by Judge McKinley.

Mrs. Tufts admitted to the court that the eldest boy had told her that he visited him in May that he knew that he was too attached to his mother and that he want to leave him.

Some of the points urged in her suit for divorce was that she was not given notice of her husband's

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TUFTS IN LOS ANGELES JAIL.

Tufts is now in jail at Los Angeles awaiting the disposition of an appeal from a decision finding him guilty of misappropriating $90,000 belonging to his second wife, Mrs. Winnifred Rae, ranch owner. Mrs. Rae, who has obtained as well as Mrs. Roe, who has court permission to drop the name "Tufts," is represented by counsel before Judge McKinley. Mrs. Graham Tufts in her fight. Mrs. Tufts in giving her testimony today told of letters, who showed plain traces of the drinking which she has endeavored to conceal, but did not succeed in doing so, but did not interrupt the telling of her story.

"I was married to Mr. Tufts here in Chicago, February 28, 1895," she said in answer to questions by her attorney, Willard M. McKinley. "My husband was conducting some home at the time, later as a girls' home and finally took charge of a men's mission called 'The Tent.' In 1901 both of us went to India. I went a few months ahead of my husband and we stayed there [illegible] when we went to England.

"What did your husband do in India?" asked Mr. McEwen.

"MISSION IN INDIA.

"We were supposed to have charge of the mission and I went along to take care of the children. In Calcutta he started a Bible school, which was attended by young men among the natives. From the place he opened up in Calcutta he was called an orphanage and had many orphans there."

Mrs. Tufts in his deposition, says that he left him in India. Was it your intention of deserting him at that time?

"I did not know that such was his intention."

Mrs. Tufts declared that she and the children of other missionaries left her husband was in India [illegible], 1906, went with him to Calcutta, India, to a small station outside of Liverpool, Eng. They married me July 13, 1906, and came to America," Mrs. Tufts continued. "I had only a quarter when I left me in the Young Women's Christian Association in Liverpool.

"How much did he give for not coming with him to America?"

"Nothing, I believe. He did not have funds but I knew that he could borrow," Mrs. Tufts said. "I sent papers for the arrival of the boat to America, but never received any word from him except a letter mailed to me before he sailed from good-by."

MARRIED IN LIVERPOOL.

Mrs. Tufts said she received financial aid from a young woman [illegible] and paid her back. She received money from relatives in addition. Between the time she left her and July, 1909, she said she stopped at public institutions, "worthless," she termed them, for more than two years [illegible] of an insane asylum.

Mrs. Tufts returned to America in 1909, with a sister who had [illegible] for her. She went to Washington, D. C., to live. She is a trained nurse and supports herself by nursing as a nurse.

Two children were born to the Tufts in Chicago and the others [illegible] daughter, Alice, who is [illegible] old, lives at Park [illegible] attends the High School [illegible] the two boys, Fletcher and [illegible], 12 and 14 years old, are in the McKinley Institute at Los Angeles. The [illegible] died.

Mrs. Tufts was the only witness today [illegible] Friday, and Judge McKinley said that he would give his decision upon the custody of the children at noon Saturday.

STORY OF THE DAUGHTER.

Attorney Albert A. Kraft, who represents in his original suit for the custody of the daughter [illegible] with the statement in court [illegible] the child does not care to go to [illegible] the girl will be brought [illegible] Monday and questioned by the judge.

Mrs. Tufts objected to the court [illegible] that had told her [illegible] him to May that he [illegible] was no attached to his [illegible] to leave him. [illegible] urged in her suit [illegible] that she was not [illegible] of her husband's [illegible]

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San Francisco Chamber of Commerce Presents Evidence of Discrimination There as Compared to Rates in Other Cities and Will Resist Advances of Southern Pacific.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] There is impending a general inquiry by the railroad commissioners into the reasonableness of switching charges that are made by the various railroads in some of the California cities, while in other cities no charges are made for moving cars to side tracks.

This investigation was foreshadowed in course of the case which the Southern Pacific brought some time ago to raise the switching charge on cars coming from or going to the State Belt Railroad.

When the commission began taking testimony this morning George Squires appeared for the Southern Pacific and Seth Mann and W. R. Wheeler for the Chamber of Commerce, which is resisting the advance. A preliminary statement was made that if a car originates on either the Western Pacific or the Santa Fe bound for a side track or spur on the Southern Pacific the originating line gets $2.50 for the use of its car and each road takes $2.50 more for the switching. This is the minimum. The Southern Pacific wanted the belt road to be put on the same basis.

ALLEGE DISCRIMINATION.

Wheeler and Mann quickly turned the inquiry into the general question of switching charges in San Francisco as compared with other places. They wanted to know why it is that Stockton, Sacramento and Oakland have certain districts in which the switching is done free and why the charge in Sacramento outside of the free district ranges from $1.50 to $3 a car, while San Francisco, Los Angeles and San Diego have no free limits at all, and why the charges in San Francisco, if cars are above the minimum, may range as high as $10 a car.

Reference was made to a complaint against the switching charges from the wharves, registered some months ago by the Pacific Hardware and Steel Company.

CALL CHARGES REASONABLE.

The witnesses of the Southern Pacific testified that the local switching charges were believed to be reasonable and that this petition to put the belt railroad on a parity with the other roads was in the interest of uniformity. As to how it happened that there are switching charges in some places and not in others there was no explanation except in the case of Stockton, where it was stated that competition had led to the abolishment of these charges. In other places free switching, they said, happened to come along as a matter of course. In the early days when switching was done by road engines it was done for nothing at many places, and as the towns grew and yard engines came into service in some cases, a charge was made for switching and in some not, but the reason in most cases has been lost to obscurity.

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HOW MORGAN CONTROLS FINANCE AND INDUSTRY.

Interlocking Directorates the Device Through Which Wealth Is Poured Into Private Banks of New York Not Subject to Federal Inspection—Charts Submitted to Money Trust Inquiry.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Elaborate charts were presented to the House Money Trust Committee today, giving lists of "interlocking directors" in a number of leading financial and industrial institutions; also a table, "showing affiliations of J. P. Morgan & Co., Guaranty Trust Company, Bankers' Trust Company, First National Bank and National City Bank and other corporations through interlocking directorates. This was in pursuance of that branch of the committee's inquiry bearing on concentration of money and credits.

THE SUMMARY.

A prepared summary, after giving the names of eighteen selected institutions, said to be affiliated, says:

"The firm members and directors whose affiliations are thus shown number 180. In the aggregate they hold 385 directorships in forty-one banks and trust companies, which had total resources of $3,322,000,000 and total deposits of $2,824,000,000; fifty directorships in eleven insurance companies having total assets of $2,646,000,000; 155 directorships in thirty-one railroad systems having a total capitalization of $12,193,000,000 and a total mileage of 163,200; six directorships in two express companies and four directorships in one steamship company with a combined capital of $245,000,000 and a gross income of $97,000,000; ninety-eight directorships in twenty-eight producing and trading corporations having a total capitalization of $3,593,000,000 and total gross annual earnings in excess of $1,145,000,000, and forty-eight directorships in nineteen public utility corporations having a total capitalization of $2,826,000,000 and total gross earnings in excess of $428,000,000; in all 746 directorships in 134 corporations having a total resource or capitalization of $25,325,000,000.

An explanation of the chart, relating to Morgan & Co., the First National Bank, the National City Bank, the Guaranty Trust Company and the Bankers' Trust Company, says:

(1.) The table shows that J. P. Morgan & Co., the First National Bank, the National City Bank, the Guaranty Trust Company and the Bankers' Trust Company, together, have:

One hundred and eighteen directors in thirty-four banks and trust companies having total resources of $2,679,000,000 and total deposits of $1,982,000,000.

Thirty directors in ten insurance companies having total assets of $2,295,000,000.

One hundred and five directors in thirty-two transportation systems having a total capitalization of $11,784,000,000 and a total mileage (excluding express companies and steamship lines) of 150,300.

Sixty-three directors in twenty-four producing and trading corporations having a total capitalization of $3,339,000,000.

Twenty-five directors in twelve public utility corporations having a total capitalization of $2,150,000,000.

In all 341 directors in 113 corporations having aggregate resources or capitalization of $22,345,000,000.

(2.) That J. P. Morgan, the Guaranty Trust Company and the Bankers' Trust Company and the First National Bank, together, have:

Eighty-nine directors in such banks and trust companies.

Twenty-nine directors in such insurance companies.

Seventy-eight directors in such transportation systems.

Forty-nine directors in such producing and trading corporations, and

Sixteen directors in such public utility corporations.

In all, 261 directors.

The eighteen institutions cited are:

J. P. Morgan & Co., New York.
First National Bank, New York.
Guaranty Trust Company, New York.
Bankers Trust Company, New York.
National City Bank, New York.
Kuhn Loeb & Co., New York.
National Bank of Commerce, New York.
Hanover National Bank, New York.
Chase National Bank, New York.
Astor Trust Company, New York.
New York Trust Company, New York.
Blair & Co., New York
Speyer & Co., New York.
Continental and Commercial National Bank, Chicago.
First National Bank, Chicago.
Illinois Trust and Savings Bank, Chicago.
Kidder, Peabody & Co., Boston and New York.
Lee, Higginson & Co., Boston and New York.

That J. P. Morgan & Co., the Guaranty Trust Company, and the Bankers' Trust Company together have:

Seventy-eight directors in such banks and trust companies.

Twenty-nine directors in such insurance companies.

Sixty-four directors in such transportation systems.

Forty-four directors in such producing and trading corporations, and,

Fourteen directors in such public utility corporations.

In all, 229 directors.

MORGAN'S FIRM.

Under the head of J. P. Morgan & Co., the explanation of the general table says:

"The table shows further that J. P. Morgan & Co., and the Guaranty Trust Company, have three firm members or directors in common, Henry P. Davison, William H. Porter and Thomas W. Lamont, and the two first named, together with George F. Baker, a director of the First National Bank, are voting trustees of the stock of such trust company.

"That J. P. Morgan & Company and the Bankers' Trust Company, and the three firm members or directors in common, Henry P. Davison, William H. Porter, and Thomas W. Lamont and the first named, and Daniel G. Reid are two of three voting trustees of the stock of such trust companies; George W. Perkins having also been one of such voting trustees until he retired from the firm of J. P. Morgan & Company.

"That J. P. Morgan & Company and the First National Bank have three firm members or directors in common, J. P. Morgan, Henry P. Davison and Thomas W. Lamont,

"That the First National Bank and the Guaranty Trust Company, have three directors in common, namely, George F. Baker, Henry P. Davison and Thomas W. Lamont, two of whom, George F. Baker, and Henry P. Davison, are voting trustees of stock of such trust company.

"That the First National Bank and the Bankers' Trust Company have five directors in common, namely, Henry P. Davison, A. B. Hepburn, F. L. Hine, Thomas W. Lamont and C. D. Norton, and the first named is a voting trustee of the stock of such trust company.

"That the Guaranty Trust Company and the Bankers' Trust Company have nine directors in common, namely, L. C. Converse, T. Dew Cuyler, H. P. Davison, Thomas W. Lamont, Edgar L. Marston, G. W. McGarrah, William H. Porter, Daniel G. Reid, and A. H. Wiggins, and Henry P. Davison is a voting trustee of the stock of each.

"That of the nine directors of the Chase National Bank, five are also directors of the First National Bank.

"That two members of J. P. Morgan & Company, three directors of the First National Bank, twelve directors of the Guaranty Trust Company, four directors of the Bankers' Trust Company, and three directors of the National City Bank, are also directors of the National Bank of Commerce of New York.

The tables also show in detail the affiliations of each of the large financial institutions with other institutions, including banks, trust companies, railway, steamship, industrial companies, etc., the explanatory details of these affiliations extending over twenty-five printed pages.

INSURANCE DEPOSITS.

For the Mutual Life, Lawrence Scudder gave the following figures: 1911, average, $5,511,000; December 31, $7,577,000; 1910, average $4,109,000; December 31, $2,717,000; 1909 average, $7,012,000; December 31, $1,514,000.

For the Equitable Life Mr. Scudder's table of deposits showed: 1911, average, $12,015 000; December 31, $7,577,000; 1910, average, $6,687,000; December 31, $6,220,000; 1909, average $16,242,000; December 31, $7,187,000.

For the Metropolitan Life: 1911, average, $3,528,000; December 31, $3,573,000; 1910, average $4,238,000; December 31, $2,559,000; 1909, average $3,941,000; December 31, $3,646,000.

Philip Scudder, another statistician, then took the stand to put into the record charts purporting to show "concentration of money and credits" by interlocking directors.

CHARTS SHOW CONCENTRATION

He outlined his method of preparing the charts, saying they were based on a list of directors "made as up-to-date as possible."

Scudder said the detailed tables showed the extent of interlocking directorates of the various financial companies and banks to be:

J. P. Morgan & Co., sixty-three directors in thirty-nine corporations, having total resources or capitalization of $10,036,000,000.

First National Bank of New York, 103 directors in forty-nine corporations, having total assets or capitalization of $11,542,000,000.

Guaranty Trust Company, New York, 160 directors in seventy-six companies, having total assets or capitalization of $17,342,000,000.

Bankers' Trust Company, New York, 113 directors in fifty-six companies, having total assets or capitalization of $11,154,000,000.

National City Bank, New York, eighty-six directors in forty-seven corporations, having total assets or capitalization of $12,205,000,000.

Kuhn, Loeb & Co., fifteen directors in twelve corporations with total assets and capitalization of $3,011,000,000.

National Bank of Commerce, New York, 149 directors in sixty-two companies having total assets and capitalization of $18,185,000,000.

Hanover National Bank, New York, thirty-seven directors in twenty-nine corporations, with total assets and capitalization of $7,495,000,000.

Chase National Bank, New York, sixty-seven directors in forty corporations, with total assets and capitalization of $11,527,000,000.

Astor Trust Company, New York, seventy-four directors in forty-seven corporations, total assets and capitalization of $12,400,000,000.

Lee Higginson & Co., Boston, eleven directors in corporations having total resources or capitalization of $3,209,000,000.

Blair & Co., New York, twelve directors in eleven corporations having total assets and capitalization of $1,754,000,000.

Speyer & Co., New York, ten directors in ten corporations, having total assets or capitalization of $2,443,000,000.

Continental and Commercial National Bank, Chicago, forty-nine directors in twenty-seven corporations, with capitalization or assets of $6,969,000,000.

First National Bank, Chicago, seventy-nine directors in twenty-nine companies, having capitalization of $9,158,000,000.

Illinois Trust and Savings Bank, Chicago, twenty-eight directors in twenty-two companies, having total resources or capitalization of $4,599,000,000.

Kidder, Peabody & Co., Boston, eight directors in six corporations, having total resources or capitalization of $2,395,000,000.

NO HANKERING FOR TROUSERS.

Dr. Anna Shaw, Who Is Planning Whirlwind Suffrage Campaign, Disapproves Oriental Fashion.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—Dr. Anna Shaw, president of the National American Woman Suffrage Association, arrived here today to discuss with members of the executive board plans for another whirlwind campaign for votes for women.

"The outlook for equal suffrage is just glorious," said Dr. Shaw. Dr. Shaw placed the stamp of her disapproval on the suggestion that American woman suffragists adopt the artistic trousers worn by the women of the Orient as a matter of comfort by declaring:

"Not for me. I think the present-day styles of our dressmakers are good enough for me."

BURKE'S Dry Gin assists the kidneys, removes that pain and will keep you fit.

"Are You a Banker?"

(Continued from First Page.)

government supervision. He said this was a matter to be left to the discretion of the boards of directors of the corporations in question.

Mr. Morgan confirmed data prepared by members of the Morgan house showing that sixty-six accounts with the Morgan firm in January last had deposits of $68,113,000 and that seventy-eight accounts on November 1 had deposits of $81,968,000. The total capital, surplus and fuended debt of these depositors, Mr. Untermyer stated, was $9,765,000,000. Mr. Morgan agreed to this.

SHOWN BY CHARTS.

Prior to Mr. Morgan's examination the committee heard testimony bearing upon concentration of money and credits. This was presented in the form of charts prepared by Philip J. Scudder, which was placed in the records. This explanation showed that the charts dealt with the affiliation of 180 directors in eighteen banks and trust companies in New York, Chicago and Boston. It showed that "these 180 men held in all 746 directorships in 134 banks and trust companies, transportation and industrial corporations having total resources or capitalization of $25,325,000,000."

It also gave in detail affiliations of J. P. Morgan & Co., and other leading financial institutions in New York, Boston and Chicago.

Mr. Morgan will resume the stand tomorrow.

WHAT HE TRIES TO DO.

After Mr. Morgan had furnished his list of partners he said the same men were in all the houses. "Only my desire to have Mr. Drexel's name in the Philadelphia house prevents all the houses having the same name," said Mr. Morgan.

"Do you do a general banking business in New York?"

"We try to."

Mr. Morgan explained that his firm did not belong to the clearinghouse, but cleared its own checks over its counter.

CAN'T FIND ROCKEFELLER.

Sergeant-at-Arms Redell of the House testified that he and his deputies had tried in vain since June 16 to serve William Rockefeller. Chairman Pujo read a certificate from Dr. Walter F. Chapple, saying that Mr. Rockefeller was ill and in his care. He said the committee had informed Mr. Rockefeller that the certificate would not be recognized unless he accepted service. All following efforts to serve him had failed, Mr. Pujo said.

MAY ATTACH HIM.

The committee has the power to ask the House for a writ of attachment to force Mr. Rockefeller to appear.

Beleo Newman, a special deputy sergeant-at-arms testified that he had searched both Mr. Rockefeller's town house and his country house.

SCUDDER'S TESTIMONY.

Tables purporting to show that four great life insurance companies, the New York, Equitable, Mutual and Metropolitan, would have, at the present rate of increased assets totaling $4,218,000,000 in 1913 were presented by Lawrence Scudder, the committee's accountant.

On December 31, 1911, said Mr. Scudder, the total assets of the four companies were $2,138,000,000, divided as follows:

New York Life, $693,000,000.
Mutual Life, $557,000,000.
Equitable Life, $504,000,000.
Metropolitan Life, $353,000,000.

Mr. Scudder estimated the combined assets in 1906 as $2,683,000,000; in 1921, $3,228,000,000; in 1926, $3,783,000,000, and in 1931, $4,318,000,000.

Mr. Scudder gave the average bank deposits through the year 1911 for the New York Life as $6,973,842, while the deposits on the last day of the year, December 31, were only $2,712,423. During 1910, he said, the average of the New York Life's deposits was $5,487,397; while on December 31 the deposits were $2,894,745. During 1909 the New York Life's average was $7,071,040; while on December 31 it was $2,672,492.

MORGAN AN ONLOOKER.

As the great mass of statistics was slowly put into the record Mr. Morgan watched proceedings closely.

When Scudder finished, Mr. Untermyer called out:

"Mr. Morgan, will you take the stand?"

The financier walked to the chair and in response to the usual qualifying questions, said he was a banker in New York City.

"Are you a member of a Philadelphia firm?" asked Mr. Untermyer.

"Well, that's the same firm," answered Mr. Morgan.

"A Paris house?"

"They are all the same house. The firm is in New York with branches in Philadelphia, Paris and London," said Mr. Morgan.

"Who are the members of the firm?"

THE MEMBERS.

Mr. Morgan furnished the following list:

J. P. Morgan, H. P. Davison, W. P. Hamilton, T. W. Lamont, H. F. Lloyd, J. P. Morgan, Jr., A. A. Newbold, William H. Porter, Charles Steele, E. T. Stotesbury and Temple Bowdoin.

Mr. Morgan said the same partners were in all the houses.

Mr. Untermyer asked Mr. Morgan whether he carried deposits of interstate corporations.

Mr. Morgan said he did not quite understand what the attorney meant, and Mr. Untermyer explained that he meant companies transacting business in more than one State.

Mr. Morgan said his firm accepted the accounts of any corporation it thought reliable.

Mr. Untermyer read into the record a statement that in January there were sixty-six accounts with the Morgan firm with deposits of $66,113,000 and on November 1, there were seventy accounts having on deposit, $71,968,000.

"Do you think these great corporations that have their securities scattered broadcast ought to be permitted to make deposits with a private banker?" asked Mr. Untermyer.

"I do," said Mr. Morgan.

Mr. Untermyer said he referred to no particular instance, but asked whether Mr. Morgan thought that as a matter of "public policy" corporations "really owned by the public" ought to be allowed to deposit with private bankers not subject to Federal inspection.

"I do," again said Mr. Morgan.

He added that the facts ought to depend on the character of the banker and the extent to which the board of directors of the corporations might formally authorize such deposits.

Mr. Untermyer asked for what interstate corporations the Morgan firm acted as fiscal agents.

Mr. Morgan did not know, but he accepted a list furnished by his office to the committee. The list included the Chicago and Western Indiana Railroad, the Chicago, Indianapolis and St. Louis, the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad and the New York Central.

Mr. Untermyer asked about the terms of the agreement under which Morgan & Co. act as fiscal agents for the New York Central.

"You have the right to issue all their securities, haven't you?" asked Mr. Untermyer.

"If we can agree on terms," replied Mr. Morgan.

Mr. Morgan persisted in the question as to whether the Morgan firm did not have entire control of the securities of the New York Central.

"Only if we can agree on terms," replied Mr. Morgan again.

He agreed to furnish a copy of the agreement between the New York Central and his firm.

At that point the committee adjourned.

Mr. Morgan told Chairman Pujo that he was very anxious to finish his testimony as he wanted to leave the country.

CHIEF HOPE IN FARMER.

Senator Smith of Georgia Favors Bill to Extend Agricultural Education in All States.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18. — "The greatest power and the chief hope of this country are found in our farm population," declared Senator Smith of Georgia in the Senate today in support of the Lever Agricultural Education Extension Bill, which would provide instructions in agriculture and home economics to farmers through demonstration work.

The bill would appropriate $10,000 annually to each State having a land-grant agricultural college for the purpose of establishing an extension department. An additional total appropriation of $300,000 to begin on January 1 is prepared which would be pro-rated among the States according to rural population. This appropriation would be increased $300,000 annually until the maximum of $3,000,000 is reached in 1923.

PREPARING FOR DEMOCRATS.

District of Columbia Commissioners Ask Special Appropriation to Keep Order Inauguration Week.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] Assuming that the town will be overrun with Democrats, the district commissioners today asked Congress for an appropriation of $25,000 to assist "in keeping order in the national capital during inauguration week."

Representative Johnson, chairman of the House District Committee, introduced a bill asking the appropriation, carefully noting thereon that the measure "was requested" by the commissioners of the district. No information is furnished regarding the manner in which the money is to be spent, although it is provided that a nominal sum of $2000 shall go to establish public comfort stations and information bureaus.

MRS. GUNNESS STILL LIVES.

Such Is Report in Signed Statement of Paroled Convict from Michigan City Penitentiary.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LA PORTE (Ind.) Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The town has again been aroused over a report that Mrs. Belle Gunness, whose farm was a burying ground for the alleged victims, is alive. The woman owner of the "death farm" was supposed to have perished in a fire that destroyed her home.

Charles Meyers, alias Reed, a paroled convict from Michigan City, in a signed statement says Ray Lamphere, a Gunness suspect, confessed to him that Mrs. Gunness still lives. Meyers said the statements were made to him when Lamphere was on his deathbed.

SPRECKELS' LINE SOLD?

Phelps Dodge Company Said to Have Purchased Road Running From San Diego to Yuma.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] On the basis of a San Francisco dispatch, it was reported here today that the Phelps-Dodge Company had purchased the Spreckles Railroad already partially built from San Diego eastward toward Yuma. Phelps-Dodge representatives lately visited San Diego and made inspection of the line. The Phelps-Dodge system, which is closely associated with the Rock-Island, now has its western terminus at Tucson, from which point it is assumed, the line will be extended towards the Coast.

ROBERT DOLLAR IS SAFE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—The British steamer Robert Dollar is safe at Yokohama, thirty-nine days out from Astoria. Fears were expressed for the safety of the Dollar yesterday, as she was seven days overdue. The message received today by the marine department, Chamber of Commerce, did not explain the delay.

"SPUGS" ANNOY "HONEY FITZ."

Mayor of Boston Says They Lack the True Christmas Spirit.

[By Wireless Line to The Times.]

BOSTON, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] Mayor Fitzgerald refused absolutely to have anything to do with the "Spugs" or society for the prevention of useless giving today when he received the circular asking him to join. "Christmas is the time to open the purse and hearts," declared the Mayor. "If it is even a postal card it shows a spark of kindly feeling and a recognition of friendship and for that reason should be encouraged. I am certainly opposed to the objects and ideas of the Spugs. They are not in keeping with the real Christmas spirit."

Foreign.

PLAN MONUMENT TO WASHINGTON

British Propose Memorial in Westminster.

Sulgrave Ancestral Manor May Be Purchased.

Paris Hotelkeeper's Body Found in Seine.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Dec. 18.—The British committee organized for the celebration of 1914 of the centennary of Anglo-American peace has drawn up a comprehensive programme which was made public today. It is proposed that a monument to George Washington be erected in Westminster Abbey or in Westminster Hall, adjoining the House of Commons. It is also proposed that Sulgrave Manor, Northamptonshire, the ancestral home of Washington, be purchased and that an organized effort be made on both sides of the Atlantic, and in the British colonies to promote well-considered educational methods and the growth of the feelings of mutual respect, affection and good will as well as mutual knowledge among the peoples of British and American descents. Prizes for essays on Anglo-American relations and new school readers are to be included in the educational scheme.

It is estimated that for these purposes from $250,000 to $300,000 will be necessary and subscriptions already have been received.

SEINE GIVES UP BODY.

Jean Wetzel, Parisian Hotel Manager, Who Disappeared, Found Dead in the River.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

PARIS, Dec. 18.—The body of Jean Wetzel, a Parisian hotel manager, known to travelers from all over the world, was found in the River Seine today. He disappeared November 9 and it is assumed that he committed suicide. It is understood that he had been speculating heavily and lost his entire private fortune. He was administrator of four of the largest hotels in the French capital.

KILLS NOTORIOUS OUTLAW. MURDEROUS CAREER ENDS.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

MANILA, Dec. 18.—The career of Arcasi, the notorious outlaw chief in the Philippines, and murderer of at least seven persons, was brought to an end today when he was killed in a personal encounter with Lieut. E. H. Johnson of the Philippine constabulary. Two other outlaws belonging to the same band also were killed.

BLACK DAMP EXPLOSION. THIRTY-ONE MINERS BURIED.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

DORTMUND (Germany) Dec. 18.—Thirty-one coal miners are believed to have been killed by an explosion of black damp in the Achenbach mine today. Six bodies have been recovered from the pit and twenty-five miners are still missing.

UP-TO-DATE CLUB HONEYMOON.

Three Pasadena Brides on Wedding Trip to Teach Secret of Married Bliss to Four Couples.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] One year ago three belles of Pasadena, attended by three beaux, all properly chaperoned, set sail from New York to the West Indian seas. They comprised what was known as the Up-to-Date Club, the creed of which is that if you want to insure a perfectly happy wedded life the contracting parties must learn to know each other under every condition and in many climes before the ceremony is performed. This year, these same six people are taking the trip again, now, however, they are the chaperons and they are accompanying eight new members of the Up-to-Date Club.

For the chaperons it is a honeymoon trip. The party of fourteen sailed on the Almirante today. The honeymoon couples were Mr. and Mrs. A. Gille, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Fleming and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Scherrer.

Others in the party are G. B. Bootelle, Charles Joyne, Harry Williford, Charles Williford and the Misses Dorothy Heywood, Lillian Grace, Agnes Noonan and Iris Worthington. They sailed for Kingston, Jamaica.

PENALTY FOR SMUGGLING.

Hollywood Woman Must Pay Nearly Three Thousand Dollars for Failure to Declare Goods.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—Two thousand eight hundred and thirty-three dollars and fifty cents was the penalty imposed today on Mrs. S. Bella Stevens, a dealer in curios, in Hollywood, a suburb of Los Angeles, because the customs officials found that she failed to declare goods valued at $944.50. The penalty imposed was three times the value of the articles undeclared.

Pearls, jewelry and articles of embroidery were found in the trunks of Mrs. Stevens, who arrived from the Orient on the Pacific Mail liner Korea. She declared goods to the value of $398, but the customs officials were not satisfied, and found more in her baggage.

The goods are confiscated.

FLIES ACROSS MEDITERRANEAN.

TRAPANI (Sicily) Dec. 18.—[By Cable and A. P.] Roland G. Garros, the French aviator, made a splendid flight today over the Mediterranean Sea from Tunis, Africa, to Sicily. He landed near Trapani, having covered about 160 miles over water. This establishes a new over-sea record.

EGGS DROP AT DULUTH.

DULUTH (Minn.) Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] The bottom dropped out of the local egg market today. Fresh eggs, which yesterday were selling at 45 cents in Duluth, are 30 cents a dozen today. April storage eggs are 22 cents a dozen.

Don't buy "Him" knick-knacks

No—well, what?

The writer of the following has often been amused at the sly questions of "wifey" trying to find out what he wanted. Once in a "joke" he said—handkerchiefs—she not only bought handkerchiefs, but she told all his friends to buy handkerchiefs. When he took stock on the morning of the 26th, he had 39 handkerchiefs. This was three years ago, he is still trying to wear them out.

Now, handkerchiefs are fine, but he would have lot rather had something he could have had more pleasure out of—nothing is more acceptable than a box of good cigars. If he smokes—you can't miss pleasing.

Lawrence Barretts

are made from the most careful selection of the best tobaccos and are blended with the distinct purpose of producing a mild Havana.

BONDY & LEDERER, the makers of "Lawrence Barretts," are one of the oldest and most reputable manufacturers in the cigar business, and when you buy "Lawrence Barretts" you take no chance in making yourself the laughing stock of the old joke "about ladies buying cigars."

Boxes of 25 Wrapped Special for Xmas

Also fine little cedar boxes of 10 for

Lawrence Barretts are not 'Cut Rate' cigars. We suggest you buy the "CLUB HOUSE," which is a fine, full shape and sells at one standard price all over the U. S. at 10c straight.

J. J. GANS & BRO., Los Angeles, Cal., Distributors.

Here's the

The Aller of Lawrence Barretts is blended of the finest grade of Cuban tobacco grown in the Clara Province. Cuba is noted for its mild aroma.

The wrapper is a Sumatra, which is of the finest manufactures handle to wrap their own product, as all the same, because used only to add to dress the cigar and not without our knowledge the same delightful Havana Cigar.

Chicago 3 Days $10 Watches

HEAT!!
Gas Heaters, $1.50 Up.
Air Tight Heaters, $1.50 Up.
Oil Heaters, $2.95.
Coal Heaters, $6.50.
HENRY GUYOT HARDWARE CO.
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Make the best $30 Suits

...SSIA BACKS BALKAN ALLIES.

...ists They Must Retain Their Conquests.

...rkey, Anxious for Peace, Yields to Greece.

...ecrecy of London Conference Is Merely Formal.

...CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.] ...NDON, Dec. 18.—The Turkish ...ncil of Ministers, it became known ...t, has sent fresh instructions to ...man delegates here, regarding the ...ndon of Greece to the peace con... It is reported that the Porte ...instructed the delegates to negoti... with the Greeks under certain ...ces even if they do not sign the ...ce. ...sidering that under the terms of ...rmistice Turkey is debarred from ...alling the besieged fortresses, she ...ttle to gain by undue delay, while ...growing strength of the military ...y in Constantinople may have fur... disturbing influence on the situa...

RUSSIA WARNS AUSTRIA.

...e Russian Premier's speech in the ..., which was awaited with much ...est, is regarded as a peaceful fac... at the same time it is a plain ...ation to the world that Russia ...ds firmly behind the Balkan states ...ecuring all the legitimate fruits ...eir victory and therefore may be ...rded somewhat in the light of a ...ing to Austria.

SERVIA IS PACIFIC.

...e Servian government is doing its ...t to avoid needlessly provoking ... Premier Pachitch, according ...Belgrade dispatch, has written to ...tors of the leading newspapers, ...g them to refrain from publishing ...e provocative to Austria and two ...ade papers have been seized for ...ing Austria.

...accordance with the request of ...legates to the peace conference, ...ard Grey has appointed Her... Cameron Norman, first secretary ...e British diplomatic service, to ...harge of the secretarial duties ...conference.

...MPENETRABLE SECRECY.

...e Ambassadors of the powers at ...eeting today confirmed their de... to maintain impenetrable se... concerning their discussions, but ...e delegates observed that the ...y was only apparent as on the ...important questions the Ambas... would be compelled to consult ...e peace delegates, in order to ...in their intentions and the feel... of their countries.

...ver, the same delegate added, it ...e useless to maintain secrecy ...ndary matters when what is ...e of capital importance is openly ...ally proclaimed to the world. ...essed the speech of M. Ko... the Russian Premier, who, he ...day spoke before the duma, but ...ly addressed his statement to ...ple of Europe in the name of ...ssi Slavonic and orthodox pow...

...Kovsoff's speech, notwith... the usual declaration of the ...ders all to preserve peace, em... the importance of the un... of the Balkan peoples and, ...ding the Emperor who is the ...e political patron and ven... spiritual head of the orthodox ...praised the civil and military ...e of the allies, promising them ...t from the mother Russia, ...far is glad she is not to ...e the calm attitude adopted at ...

...e, in plain language, means that ...attitude" might have been ...n the past and may change ...future, if the rights of the Bal... do not receive due rec...

...orted that the Austrian and ...Ambassadors at the meeting ...most cordial, although re... When the question of the ...was raised, it is reported ...ckendorff expressed the de... that the straits be de...

Restriction.

...Y WICKERSHAM B... AT DISSOLUTION

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TI...

...GTON, Dec. 18.—Attor...-General Wickersham issued ...tatement tonight in regard to ...greement between the attor... of the Union Pacific and the ...t in regard to the disposi... of 46 per cent. of stock in the ...Pacific held by the Union ... a corporation.

...e makes clear that the gov... would consent to give the ...se of both the Union Pacific ...outhern Pacific an opportunity to ...stock to be distributed, but ...willing to offer the Union Pa... holders alone this opportuni...

...tement follows:

...egotiations have been pending ...e days past between repre... of the Union Pacific and ...ey-General with respect to ...e or a plan for distribution ...ock in the judgment rendered by ...e Circuit Court on December 3. ...e Union Pacific interests claimed ...t the shareholders of the Union Pa... Railroad Company were entitled ...ceive pro rata in the sale or dis... of the stock of the Southern ...fic Railroad Company which the ...e Court decided was acquired ...violation of the Sherman ...

...ATTORNEY-GENERAL BALKS.

...Attorney-General declined to ...to this contention, although he ...ed his willingness to approve a ...n which the stock to be dis... should be offered for sale to ...ders of both the Union Pa... and the Southern Pacific com... in proportion to their respective ...s at a suitable price and under ...e restrictions.

...ut of this difference of opin... there will be submitted to the ...e Court tomorrow to determine ...y in the lower court what ...ns in the mandate which ...e lower court what ...ers are to be con...

...ceded to the stock... Pacific Company.

The view of th... to be that by ... the hands of sto... competing corp... would be more li... petition between ... than if the sto... the corporations ... own a controlling ... company.

The opinion of ... announced on De... authority to fra... the District Court ... the purpose of ... tuted of four Jud... cuit.

VITAL DIS...

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...SSIA BACKS BALKAN ALLIES.

...ly They Must Retain Their Conquests.

...day, Anxious for Peace, Yields to Greece.

...ency of London Conference Is Merely Formal.

...LE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

...NDON, Dec. 18.—The Turkish ...uncil of Ministers, it became known ...ay has sent fresh instructions to ...ttoman delegates here, regarding the ...ssion of Greece to the peace con... It is reported that the Porte ...structed the delegates to negoti... with the Greeks under certain ...ions even if they do not sign the ...ty.

...ding that under the terms of ...nstantine Turkey is debarred from ...ilding the besieged fortresses, she ...ks to gain by undue delay, while ...ssening strength of the military ...Constantinople may have fur... influence on the situa...

...SSIA WARNS AUSTRIA.

...Russian Premier's speech in the ...ich was awaited with much ...t is regarded as a peaceful fac... at the same time it is a plain ...tion to the world that Russia ...ds firmly behind the Balkan states ...ring all the legitimate fruits ...ir victory and therefore may be ...ed somewhat in the light of a ...ng to Austria.

...SERVIA IS PACIFIC.

...Servian government is doing its ...t to avoid needlessly provoking ...ia. Premier Pachitch, according ...Vienna dispatch, has written to ...ors of the leading newspapers, ...ging to refrain from publishing ...ments offensive to Austria and two ...ve papers have been seized for ...ir assertis.

...ordance with the request of ...ers to the peace conference, ...rd Grey has appointed Her... Norman, first secretary ...British diplomatic service, to ...ke of the secretarial duties ...conference.

...VITABLE SECRECY.

...ambassadors of the powers at ...ing today confirmed their de... to maintain impenetrable se... concerning their discussions, but ...e delegates observed that the ...s only apparent as on the ...portant questions the Ambas... would be compelled to consult ...ir peace delegates, in order to ...ow their intentions and the feel... of their countries.

...the same delegate added, it ...s useless to maintain secrecy ...ny matters when what is ...of equal importance is openly ...and proclaimed to the world. ...ard the speech of M. Ko... the Russian Premier, who, he ...ys, before the duma, but ...addressed his statement to ...ope in the name of ...Slavonic and orthodox pow...

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...plain language, means that ...ussia "might have been ...ed" in the past and may change ...ture, if the rights of the Bal... do not receive due rec...

...ort that the Austrian and ...ers at the meeting ...cordial, although re... the question of the ...ian island, it is reported ...ussia expressed the de... that the straits be de...

clared open only to the Russian fleet and not to the fleets of other countries, as his government wished the Black Sea to remain an internal Russian lake.

Concerning the islands along the Turkish Asiatic coast, the opinion prevails that they will remain to Turkey because owing to their proximity to the Asiatic continent, whatever country possesses them would be a constant threat to Asia Minor. The idea is that these islands must belong to the State ruling Asia Minor.

THE HARDEST NUT.

Albania is the hardest nut to crack, it being foreseen that whatever solution is adopted it will be a future source of trouble. If Ottoman rule is to disappear from Europe, it is out of the question to have the Turks retain any political or administrative power in Albania under any form, according to the views expressed here, but it is much feared that even an autonomous and neutralized Albania, owing to racial, religious, economic and financial reasons, would be unable to stand without direct assistance from the powers

SEAPORT FOR SERVIA.

On the question of the Servian demand for an outlet on the Adriatic, M. Novakovitch, called "the Bismarck of Servia," observed that his country asked for nothing except what already had been conquered with the blood of her sons. Indeed, Servia was ready even to evacuate part of the coast of the Adriatic, where the Servian flag now waves, on condition that she be allowed to retain a small port communicating with the interior country, which without an opening to the sea would suffocate.

"With the exception of Switzerland, which can stand it on account of special conditions," said M. Novakovitch, "no other European state is without the sea."

FIREMEN MODIFY DEMANDS.

They Would Rather Arbitrate Than Strike—Ask Extra Man on Larger Locomotives of Eastern Railways.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—President Carter of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen notified the railroad managers of the eastern territory that, in preference to a strike vote, he was willing to arbitrate under the Erdman Act the firemen's demands for increased pay and better working conditions. He submitted an amended proposition for consideration.

President Carter's amended proposition, submitted in response to the railroad managers' ultimatum of yesterday, provides for the employment of two firemen on approximately 2000 of the largest locomotives in the territory. This materially reduced the number of locomotives on which two firemen are demanded.

In making this modification President Carter said the employment of two firemen upon all large locomotives would greatly increase the efficiency of the locomotives and increased earnings from any train thus operated would be more than sufficient to meet the increased expense.

MINORITY WILL FIGHT ORDER.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—The minority stockholders of the Southern Pacific Railroad will fight compliance with the government's "unmerging" order as it relates to the Southern Pacific and Union Pacific railroads. This was the construction placed by railroad men upon the receipt yesterday by the stockholders of notices asking them to send proxies for their stock to the Southern Pacific Stockholders' Protective Committee in New York. The first step proposed in the readjustment is the sale of the Central California Railroad to the Union Pacific. The Protective Committee was organized to prevent this, immediately after the United States Supreme Court decision that the holding of 46 per cent. of Southern Pacific stock by the Union Pacific constituted a combination in restraint of trade. The committee wished to prevent the sale in order to protect outstanding Southern Pacific securities. It was announced that, as the government had declared unvotable the Union Pacific's holding of 46 per cent. of the Southern Pacific stock, the minority stockholders of the latter could control the majority of the stock and prevent the sale.

Hanna's North Dakota Majority.

GRAND FORKS (N. D.) Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] L. B. Hanna's official majority over F. O. Hellstrom, Democrat, for the Governorship of North Dakota as shown by the official count just completed is 8277.

Railroad Record.

DISSOLUTION IN DEADLOCK.

Union Pacific Will Appeal for Instructions.

Wickersham Disapproves of Unmerging Plans.

Firemen Modify Demands to Avoid Strike.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Robert S. Lovett, chairman of the Executive Committee of the Union and Southern Pacific railroads, announced this afternoon that he had arranged with Atty.-Gen. Wickersham to appeal at once to the United States Supreme Court for instructions in working out the dissolution plan of the railroads.

Mr. Wickersham, the announcement continued, has refused to approve any plan involving the distribution of Southern Pacific stock owned by the Union Pacific.

In support of his contention that Southern Pacific stock be distributed among Union Pacific shareholders, Judge Lovett cites the Northern Securities case and the cases of the Standard Oil and American Tobacco companies. These, he asserts, are fundamentally comparable with the Union Pacific-Southern Pacific dissolution.

UNUSUAL COURSE.

The unusual course adopted by the Harriman officials is taken in the interests of all parties, Judge Lovett says, and in the hope that the decree of the Supreme Court may be facilitated. Judge Lovett's statement follows:

"Immediately after the decision of the Supreme Court in the case involving the relation of the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific, the board of directors appointed a special committee composed of R. S. Lovett, S. M. L. Schiff and Frank A. Vanderlip, to work out and submit a plan for promptly and fully carrying out and conforming to the decision of the court, and the matter was at once taken up with the government.

TOBACCO CASE.

"In the tobacco case an unqualified distribution was impracticable because of complications arising from outstanding mortgages, changes in plants, etc., and a division of the property by the American Tobacco Company, with two new corporations was made, but the entire stock of the new corporation was sold to the holders of the common stock of the American Tobacco Company, in proportion to their holdings.

"In the powder case, a plan of dissolution was accepted by the Attorney-General which involved a pro rata distribution to the stockholders of the principal company.

WICKERSHAM'S REFUSAL.

"The Attorney-General of the United States has refused to approve any plan involving the distribution of the $126,650,000 par value of stock of the Southern Pacific owned by the Union Pacific Railroad Company, exclusively to the stockholders of the latter in proportion to their holdings, whether by sale, dividend or otherwise, and has declared that he would appeal in the event the District Court should approve pro rata distributions.

"We find nothing in the opinion of the Supreme Court in this case to warrant the government in denying to stockholders of the Union Pacific the rights enjoyed by the stockholders of every other corporation that has been required to dispose of stock held contrary to the Sherman act, where a pro rata distribution was practicable as it is in this case.

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WICKERSHAM BALKS AT DISSOLUTION PLANS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

...ON, Dec. 18.—Attor... Wickersham issued ...tonight in regard to ... between the attor... Union Pacific and the ... to the disposit... of stock in the ... held by the Union ...

...mes clear that the gov... consent to give the ... the Union Pacific ... an opportunity to ... to be distributed, but ... to offer the Union Pa... this opportuni...

...follows:

...horse, been pending ... suit between repre... the Union Pacific and ... with respect to ... a plan for distribution ... rendered by ... on December 2. ... interests claimed ... of the Union Pa... were entitled ... in the sale or dis... of the Southern ... which the ... was acquired ... of the Sherman ...

...ERAL BALKS.

...General declined to ... opinion, although he ... to approve a ... stock to be dis... offered for sale to ... both the Union Pa... Pacific com... to their respective ... price and under ...

...ence of opin... is submitted to the ... to determine ... which ... the lower court what ... is to be con...

ceded to the stockholders of the Union Pacific Company."

The view of the government is said to be that by the stock going into the hands of stockholders of a rival, competing corporation, the public would be more likely to procure competition between the two companies than if the stockholders of one of the corporations were permitted to own a controlling interest in the other company.

The opinion of the Supreme Court announced on December 2, conferred authority to frame the decree upon the District Court of Utah which for the purpose of this case was constituted of four judges of the eighth circuit.

VITAL DISAGREEMENT.

The disagreement between the government and the railroad attorneys is regarded as so vital that it would require elaborate consideration by the lower judges and then might result only in an appeal to the Supreme Court. The attorneys hope the Supreme Court will decide the point by next Monday when an adjournment is to be taken until January 6. That would allow the reorganization to proceed with practically no delay.

It was said tonight that there is little probability of such a serious conflict between the government and the railroad attorneys as would lead the lower court to appoint a receiver to sell the stock to the public. The lower court is authorized by the Supreme Court to take this step should no plan of disposing of the stocks be presented or if it be rejected by the court within three months from the time the decree of the Supreme Court is sent to the lower court for execution.

The reorganization has been the step of prolonged discussion in government circles. Attorneys for the railroads have consulted with President Taft and yesterday the entire matter was taken up at the Cabinet meeting.

Life's Seamy Side.

HOLDS ARREST IS UNLAWFUL.

Court Limits Duration of Suspended Sentence.

Governor Reprieves Convict to Determine Sanity.

Youthful Highwaymen Return Their Loot.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 18. — The right to suspend sentence and keep the penalty hanging over the head of the sentenced person for an indefinite period is denied justices and police court judges in a decision handed down this afternoon by Judge J. W. Mahon. The decision was made and Miss Rosa Brown was released on a writ of habeas corpus. She was sentenced to six months in the County Jail by a local justice nearly a year ago. Sentence was suspended and she was commanded to leave town. She returned Monday and was arrested. The decision held that the arrest was unlawful.

The court found that Miss Brown could not be molested after the time at which the maximum sentence for the offense would expire.

POSTPONES EXECUTION.

Gov. Johnson Issues Reprieve to Determine Whether Prisoner Sentenced to Hang Friday Is Insane.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 18.—For the purpose of giving more opportunity of definitely ascertaining whether or not Charles Carson, condemned prisoner at Folsom Penitentiary, is sane or insane, Gov. Johnson today issued a reprieve for eight weeks. Carson was to have been hanged at Folsom next Friday, for having attempted to escape from Folsom Prison and attacking a guard in 1904.

The reprieve was issued upon the recommendation and request of Warden Johnston of Folsom and Dr. F. W. Hatch, general superintendent of the State Hospitals. Dr. Hatch and other alienists examined Carson recently as to his sanity and reported that further tests should be made so as to determine more conclusively whether he is shamming or is insane.

For the last two months Carson has not spoken a word and in other ways by actions he has led those who have come in contact with him to believe he is insane. Several tests for the purpose of determining this point have produced negative results.

"MARRY US IN A HURRY."

Los Angeles Girl Elopes in Georgia Rainstorm and Clergyman Accommodates Impatient Groom.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ATLANTA (Ga.) Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In a heavy rainstorm Miss Marjorie Fowler, daughter of W. A. Fowler of Los Angeles, and Grover Carpenter, a young business man of Demorest, Ga., eluded the vigilance of the young lady's grandparents, with whom she lived, fled to Cartersville, the county seat, procured a marriage license, and were hastily married by Ordinary J. A. Robertson.

The couple drove up in front of the office of the ordinary, called him out in the rain and demanded a license.

"We must have it in a hurry," explained the bridegroom, and he pulled out a wad of money.

Ordinary Robertson made out the license, went out to the couple under an umbrella, and performed the ceremony in the rain.

Miss Fowler was staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Safford at Demorest.

MAN CONVICTS HIMSELF.

Witness Testifies He Won Money Gambling to Protect Friend and Finds He Himself Is Liable.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SALT LAKE CITY, Dec. 18.—Dick Lilley of San Francisco under oath in the District Court here today while trying to clear a friend of a theft charge, practically convicted himself of a felony, according to the District Attorney. He was arrested as he left the courtroom. Lilley came here to testify in behalf of J. J. Ryan, accused of stealing $145 from Samuel Walker of Alberta, Can. He testified that he had won the money from Walker gambling and that therefore Ryan could not be guilty of theft. Gambling in Utah is a felony.

BOYS RETURNED LOOT.

Trio of Youthful Highwaymen Become Conscience-Stricken and Give Up Proceeds of Theft.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HANFORD (Cal.) Dec. 18.—A trio of youthful highwaymen, aged 17, 16 and 13 years, became conscience-stricken after their first successful hold-up last night and a few hours later hunted up a brother of their victim and returned a gold watch and a bicycle they had taken.

The boys are Joseph Dutra, Leslie Douglas and Harry Lebau.

Despite their repentance, they they were placed in the custody of the probation officer today on complaint of the father of Clarence Waechter, their victim.

RECEIVER FOR BOX BOARD.

Petition Filed in Federal Court by Equitable Trust Company of New York.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 18.—A petition for a receiver for the United Box Board Company was filed in the Federal Court here today by attorneys for the Equitable Trust Company of New York. The trust company, it was said, holds bonus of the box board company to the value of $3,000,000.

MERCHANT KILLS HIMSELF.

St. Louis Business Man Commits Suicide in Taxicab While on Way to an Undertaker's Place.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 18.—Hugh McDougal, prominent in the local retail dry goods trade, shot and killed himself in a taxicab this afternoon when he was within a minute's ride of an undertaking establishment to which he had directed the chauffeur to drive him.

ARREST IN DOUBLE CRIME.

Son Who Discovered Bodies of Mother and Grandmother Slain Held After Testimony at Inquest.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

COLUMBIA (Mo.) Dec. 18.—Lee Moore, who discovered the dead bodies of his mother, Mrs. George Moore, and his grandmother, Mrs. Mary J. Wilson, crushed with an ax, when he entered their home near here today, was arrested late this afternoon, following his testimony given at the Coroner's inquest.

The discovery was made by Lee Moore, a son who had come to spend Christmas with the women, who lived alone on the outskirts of Columbia standing open and on the kitchen floor standing ouen and on the kitchen floor lay the body of his mother with her throat hacked. On a bed in another room his grandmother, with a similar wound, was lying. The ax with which the women had been slain was on the floor.

Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Moore were last seen alive about dusk yesterday. They had no money and the police are without a clew.

Nemesis.

MILLIONAIRE IS INDICTED.

MUST RETURN FROM MEXICO TO ANSWER MURDER CHARGE.

Joseph MacDonald Will Be Extradited on Requisition from Alaska to Be Tried for Death of Mission Worker Who Wanted Mines Closed on Sundays.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

JUNEAU (Alaska) Dec. 18.—Joseph MacDonald, general manager of the Consolidated Mining and Milling Company at Guanajuato, Mex., and who was formerly superintendent of the Treadwell mines here, was indicted by the Federal grand jury last night, charged with first degree murder in causing the death of N. C. Jones, a mission worker at Treadwell on May 14, 1902.

Jones, who was connected with the Peniel Mission, pestered MacDonald by urging him to keep the great mines and mills at Treadwell closed on Sunday so as not to incur the wrath of God. MacDonald was exonerated by a Coroner's jury soon after the death of Jones. He left Juneau and has since accumulated a fortune in Mexico. Judge Overfield directed that a bench warrant be issued and it was sent to the Department of State at Washington. Extradition of MacDonald from Mexico will be sought, in order to bring him to Juneau for trial.

M'DONALD KNOWN IN IDAHO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

COEUR D'ALENE (Idaho) Dec. 18.—Joseph MacDonald, indicted for murder at Juneau in connection with the death of a mission worker, formerly lived at Gem, Idaho. He was associated with Patrick Clark of Spokane in the ownership of the 'Frisco mine twenty year ago and acted as superintendent of the property.

CONVERT THE NATION NOW.

That Is Slogan of Suffragists in Conference at Chicago, According to Miss Whitney of Oakland.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] Suffrage leaders of the United States began a conference in Chicago today, the bi-monthly meeting of the board of directors of the National American Woman's Suffrage Association, being held for the first time here.

The first of a series of two days' meetings was held in the morning at the home of Mrs. Joseph T. Bowen, No. 1430 Astor street, and tonight the North Side Suffrage Association held a reception for the visiting national officers at the home of Mrs. William Yager, No. 631 Rush street.

"Convert the nation now" is the slogan of the national association, according to Miss Anita Whitney of Oakland, Cal., first vice-president of the organization, who was one of the early arrivals.

"In our two days' meeting," Miss Whitney said, "we are to discuss mainly the matter of field work. We feel that now is the appointed time for our converting the entire United States to our cause.

The speakers tonight were Dr. Shaw, Mrs. Stanley McCormick and Miss Whitney.

Tomorrow evening, the officers will attend a mass meeting at Orchestra Hall. Dr. Shaw, Miss Jane Addams and others will speak.

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THEY WILL BE SOLD AT A GREAT SACRIFICE
BETTER GET HERE EARLY IF YOU WANT ONE
AT RIDICULOUSLY LOW PRICES

Our House is full. Over 70 Pianos; 15 [illegible] In New and Used

PLAYERS, GRANDS AND UPRIGHTS

A few Specials in Used Pianos and Organs:

1 good Walnut Organ.....
1 satisfactory Square Piano.....
1 Upright Piano; Ebony case.....
1 Upright Piano; Mahogany case.....
1 Player Piano; Mahogany case.....

We are exclusive representatives for McPHAIL of Boston, for 75 years famous for its manship and durability.

Make up your mind NOW and come your own terms. We Sell, Exchange and Rent month.

N. W. Fisher 108 No. [illegible]

THURSDAY MORNING.

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THE TIMES-MIRROR COMPANY.

NOTICE—I CAN GIVE YOU INFORMATION regarding a new subdivision, that will be placed on the market in about one month, which will be one of the finest subdivisions ever put on the market in Southern California, located on the highest ground on Vermont Boulevard, close to Pasadena, commanding an elegant view of the entire Santa Monica Bay, ocean, mountains and city of Los Angeles. Here is an opportunity that should not be overlooked. Will be pleased to explain situation and feel that you will be very much interested. Please address X, box 87, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

AUTO ROAD MAP FREE.

The best and clearest map of Los Angeles and vicinity published. All good roads shown in red and perfectly accurate. Of greatest benefit to the autoist. We are giving these maps entirely free to all who ask for them. This is only one piece of our efficient service. Call at our offices. SHARER INVESTMENT CO., 229 W. Seventh st.

DR. L. JONES, SURGEON CHIROPODIST, established the past seven years in Seattle, Wash., now located in the Mason Opera-house; I have always been the highest-price man on the Coast, but to get acquainted with you will keep your feet in perfect condition, $1 month, 25c, corns, bunions; ingrowing nails, sweaty feet, etc.

FOR SALE—L. A. ATHLETIC CLUB membership certificate, transferable, $250 cash, or $250 on time, or part cash and trade for anything I can use (no stock.) I will pay the transfer fee. Address J, box 257, TIMES OFFICE.

TO PREVENT DISAPPOINTMENT, MRS. Patten would like all orders for her celebrated English Plum Pudding to be in not later than Dec. 22, 2 year old pudding 2½ lb.; 1 year, 75 cents. Home 30787 or 51445.

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MY WIFE, FRANCIS GERTRUDE BAUMAN, having left my bed and board, without my consent, I will not be responsible for any debts contracted on or after December 11, 1912. J. F. BAUMAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned will not be responsible for any debts contracted on or after this date, December 14, 1912, by my wife, Mrs. Julia E. Hobbs. Signed, OLIVER P. HOBBS.

FAMOUS SPANISH CHEFS HAVE CONtributed innumerable receipts to The Times Cook Book. Now on sale. Price 25c; postage 5c extra.

CHRISTMAS MONEY; TURN YOUR OLD gold, silver and platinum into cash. We pay more. No trouble to give estimate. IRVING & CO., Gold Refiners and Assayers, 311 North Spring street.

LADIES OR MEN HAVING THEIR OWN materials, we will cut and make suit for $15. HOUSE OF BAER, The Big Tailors, 2nd floor, Laughlin Bldg., 315 S. Broadway.

WATER COLORS FOR GIFTS, AT DAWSON'S BOOK STORE, Hill st., opposite Central Park.

IF YOUR ROOF LEAKS, SCOTT, THE roofer, 1702 S. Main. South 317. Home [illegible].

CHIROPODIST CLEANED, SATISFACTORY in business. LOS ANGELES SANITARY CO., Wilshire Blvd., 10168.

FLORISTS AND NURSERIES—

FOR SALE—BEST FRUIT TREES. Japan Persimmons; I have only 1000 plants left this year, the trees grow any ground; the most kingly of fruits. Come and see them, or write, R. 2, Orange county, Orange, Cal.

PERSONAL—

Business.

PERSONAL—PROF. ALTHOUSE, NOTED AUTHOR and painter, 25 years in Los Angeles. Largest and most successful practice of any reader. Highest grade of work. He reads Gadzist, Calvin, Swedenborg, Swaan, and other works. Dr. Larsen, writer of many books, reliable of any reader in the United States. High-class patronage only. 345½ S. BROADWAY.

PERSONAL—

MRS. MASSON,

the noted palmist of London, Eng., may be found at 322 S. SPRING ST. (over Owl Drug Co.) by those desiring careful, common-sense, reliable, hand readings from one of the foremost palmists of the day. HIGH CLASS PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

PERSONAL — WANTED — AN INTERVIEW with those interested in the Philippines; will be made of the Philippines Islands; two men accompany a committee. Arrangements can be made by two free of interest. Call at once. Bldg. P. G. DELKER.

PERSONAL — WANTED — TRAVELING companion for trip of 10 months to South America, am willing to give half interest in legitimate business which is good to make a great deal of money in the next two years; would like best references. Address C, box 87, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

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PERSONAL—LESSEN THE HOUSEWIFE'S work, get her The Times' New Cook Book; on sale. Price 25c; postage 5c extra.

PERSONAL — PROF. LUZON, PSYCHIC; consult this wonderful man today; facts, dates and figures. 1233 S. Main, cor. AVE., near Pico.

PERSONAL—THE TIMES COOK BOOK, NO. 4, on sale, contains two hundred pages of tested recipes. Price 25c; postage 5c extra.

PERSONAL — MME. JOSEPH OF CHICAGO, the great psychic, reading 25c. 222 E. Third, Virginia ave. car.

PERSONAL — MME. ORA, PALMIST, best 50c reading in city. 203½ S. Main.

PERSONAL — MRS. WESLEY, ADVICE ON all affairs of life. If in trouble don't fail to see her. 726½ S. HILL ST.

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AUTO ROAD MAP FREE.
The best and clearest map of Los Angeles and vicinity published. All good roads shown in red and perfectly accurate. Of [illegible] benefit to the autoist. We are giving these maps entirely free to all who ask for them. This is only one phase of our [illegible] is of service to all inquirers. [illegible] INVESTMENT CO., 229 W. Seventh st.

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[illegible] COLORS FOR GIFTS, AT DAW-[illegible] BOOK STORE, Hill st., opposite [illegible].

[illegible] ROOF LEAKS, SCOTT, THE [illegible] 1702 S. Main. South 377. Home [illegible].

[illegible] CLEANED, SATISFACTORY [illegible] LOS ANGELES SANITARY [illegible].

[illegible] AND NURSERIES—

[illegible] FRUIT TREES.
[illegible] I have only 1000 plants [illegible] the trees grow any ground; [illegible] of fruits. Come and see [illegible] are. Ask R. V. DUR-[illegible] Orange county, Orange, Cal.

PERSONAL—
Business.

[illegible] ALTHOUSE, NOTED ASTROLOGER [illegible] 20 years in Los Angeles [illegible] most successful practice of [illegible] highest grade of work. He read [illegible] Warde, Julia Marlowe, [illegible] writes: "I consider [illegible] most reliable of any reader in [illegible] High-class patronage [illegible] S. BROADWAY.

MRS. MASSON.
[illegible] of London, Eng., may be [illegible] S. SPRING ST. (over Owl [illegible]) for those desiring careful, con-[illegible] reliable hand readings from [illegible] palmists of the day. [illegible] PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

[illegible] WANTED—AN INTERVIEW [illegible] interested in the Philippines; [illegible] made of the Philippine Islands [illegible] accompany a committee. [illegible] the tour. The trip to the [illegible] made by you free if in-[illegible] F. G. DELKER.

[illegible] WANTED—TRAVELING [illegible] trip to South America, am [illegible] half interest in legitimate [illegible] is good to make a great [illegible] in the next two years; would [illegible] references. Address C, box [illegible] BRANCH OFFICE.

[illegible] "AS A MAN EATETH, SO IS [illegible]" [illegible] recipes in The Times [illegible] Now on sale. Price 25c.

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[illegible] LISTEN THE HOUSEWIFE'S [illegible] The Times' New Cook [illegible] Price 25c; postage 5c.

[illegible] LUZON, PSYCHIC, [illegible] this wonderful man today. [illegible] dates and figures. 1329 S. [illegible].

[illegible] TIMES COOK BOOK, NO. [illegible] contains two hundred pages [illegible] Price 25c; postage 5c extra.

[illegible] JOSEPH OF CHICAGO, [illegible] reading 50c. 522 E. [illegible].

[illegible] ORA, PALMIST, [illegible] in city. 309½ S. [illegible].

[illegible] WESLEY, ADVICE ON [illegible] If in trouble don't fail [illegible] S. HILL ST.

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SOCIETY MEETINGS—

PROF. LIVINGSTONE'S SPIRITUAL AND psychic free tests, draw the crowds. Sundays, Wednesdays and Fridays, 8 p.m. 124½ S. SPRING.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

WANTED—
PAINTERS.
DECORATORS.
PAPER HANGERS.
Do not waste our time unless you can make good on first-class work. Apply BARKER BROS. PAINT SHOP, 1114 W. 9th st., before 8 a.m. or after 5 p.m.

WANTED — LIVE, ENERGETIC AND capable young man as solicitor for the best suburban acreage property around Los Angeles. Big commission and fine future with permanent position to man who can make good. Call 10-12 Thursday. See
L. E. WILKESON, with
F. P. NEWPORT CO.,
304-309 Central Bldg., corner 6th and Main.

WANTED—SEVERAL BRIGHT BOYS.
Past 17, fair schooling, to prepare for post-office clerks, letter carriers and railway mail clerks. Preliminary work covered home study evenings couple months. Parcels post goes into effect January 1st. Bring parent with you. See Instruction Adv. See MR. HOFF, 628-30 Security Bldg.

WANTED—MEN AND BOYS TO LEARN A good-paying trade. Automobile driving, repairing, electricity, machining and surveying. We teach what others have failed because we have better facilities. Don't waste time in "so-called" free instruction, for you are the loser in the end. See our ad. under "Help Wanted—Learn Trades." NATIONAL SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING, 2110 W. Seventh st.

WANTED — FOR PERMANENT POSITION, man who excels as a solicitor; former pace-setter in newspaper subscription, magazine subscription, insurance or premium soliciting preferred; new proposition; requirements, good address and references. Ask for "PACKARD," Circulation Department, Times Building. Call before 9 a.m. or after 4 p.m.

WANTED—MEN; WE WILL TEACH YOU a trade for your work; only few months required; automobiles, electricity, plumbing, bricklaying, six years' experience, over 1400 workmen and $100,000 contract jobs; see ad. in "Learn Trades." UNITED CONTRACTING CO., Offices 658 Pacific Electric Bldg. Shops, 234 Aliso st.

WANTED — FOR U. S. ARMY—ABLE-bodied unmarried men, between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write the English language. For information apply to RECRUITING OFFICER, Canadian Bldg., 423 S. Main st., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—WE HAVE THE BEST MONEY-making proposition in the city for live, enterprising men. If you want an income on the side or a permanent, substantial opportunity to earn big money with desirable connections, call at once for particulars. No canvassing, but pleasant, practical work. Suite 514, CENTRAL BLDG., Sixth and Main sts.

WANTED—A MAN OF EXPERIENCE TO take complete charge of stock selling of a first-class hardwood timber proposition. Only those with good references, ability and sufficient capital to make success need apply. Address B, box 363, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—SEVERAL MEN,
UNDER 35, TO FIT FOR GOVERNMENT RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS. GOOD STARTING SALARY, PROMOTION, PERMANENCY. PARCELS POST GOES INTO EFFECT JANUARY 1ST. SEE INSTRUCTION ADV. FOR SUCCESSFUL COACHING. SEE MR. HOFF, 628-30 SECURITY BLDG.

WANTED — SALESMAN, 3 HIGH GRADE salesmen with successful records to represent a National organization in California and Oregon. Salary and expenses. Give references and salary expected in first letter. Address K, box 14, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—GOOD STOCK SALESMEN WHO can tell the truth convincingly, good commissions paid to right men; stock pays 12 per cent. and has good talking points. Call at once. Room 307 TITLE INSURANCE BLDG., Fifth and Spring sts.

WANTED—
Experienced gas and electric consumers' ledger clerks for good company, out of town; men experienced in Los Angeles preferred. Salary $75 with advancement. MERCANTILE REFERENCE ASSN., Higgins Bldg.

WANTED—A STOCK SALESMAN TO SELL stock for a high-class industrial proposition; business established; employing 40 people; investigate this extraordinary opportunity. Address H, box 252, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — TIMEKEEPER ON LARGE building; construction job in city. Must have had experience. Salary $12 week. Apply in person to chief engineer. ALTA PLANING MILL CO., 830 McGarry.

WANTED—
5 stock salesmen to handle a guaranteed dividend paying stock. Has never been offered to the public before. Big money for the right men. Ask for Mr. Porter.
307 TITLE INSURANCE BLDG.

WANTED—
Salesman capable of interesting and closing all classes at their homes. Splendid remuneration, permanent employment. R. S. PACKARD, Third floor, "Rear" New Times Bldg. Call before 9 a.m. or after 3:30 p.m.

WANTED — HANDY MAN ON CONCRETE, etc., (Scandinavian) $60 month, room; man, experienced in fish store, $15 week. Call early. SWEDISH & GERMAN EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 101½ S. Broadway.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN STENOGRAPHER, capable of rapid, accurate work and good penman. Good opportunity for right party to learn real estate business. Inquire VAN NUYS HEADQUARTERS, 319 S. Hill st.

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG MAN OWNING small automobile and desirous of learning the real estate business; good opening for right party. Inquire VAN NUYS HEADQUARTERS, 319 S. Hill st.

WANTED—
Attention, insurance men. Unique insurance proposition; fine commissions to reliable men. See "PACKARD," Circulation Department, Times Building, before 9 a.m., or after 4 p.m.

WANTED—BOY ABOUT 16 YEARS OLD, with some experience as soda dispenser; write at once, inclosing references and stating salary expected. COLVERT & LEE, Brawley, Cal.

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED SALESMAN understanding china, glass and silverware. Apply with references. VOLLMER-JANTZEN CO., N.E. corner 7th and Hill.

WANTED — REAL ESTATE SALESMAN, with or without experience. MARER'S REALTY OFFICE, 411 Los Angeles Investment Bldg., Eighth and Broadway.

WANTED—A CLERK TO SELL THE famous W. L. Douglas shoe on Saturday afternoon at the BOOT AND SHOE HOSPITAL, No. 543 S. Main st. Pay $2.50.

WANTED—REGISTERED PHYSICIAN FOR field work, construction job; some chance for private work also. Apply at once. 234 BRADBURY BLDG.

WANTED—I WILL PUT ANY TAILOR IN business who wants to start for himself. Call 472 W. SECOND ST., Pomona, Cal.

WANTED—MALE NURSE FOR FIELD HOSPITAL on construction work. Wages $75 per month. Apply 234 BRADBURY BLDG., today.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED GRAIN AND alfalfa ranch foreman. Give experience by letter. W. G. ULERY, 914 Higgins Bldg.

WANTED—A MAN THAT UNDERSTANDS reclaiming rubber. Phone MR. THOMAS, Home Phone 20131.

WANTED — AUTOMOBILE PAINTERS, stripers, finishers, and varnish rubbers; none others need apply. 1341 S. FIGUEROA.

WANTED—A SOLICITOR FOR A QUICK SELLING XMAS NOVELT. CALL AT 925 W. SIXTH ST.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS BUSHELMEN, steady work, good wages. Apply GETZOFF & CO., 427 S. Main.

WANTED — GOOD SALESMAN FOR CITY work. OLD MISSION STUDIO, 224 S. Main.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED COAT AND skirt hands. MIDDLETON & WATSON CO.

WANTED—GOOD GAS FITTER. PHONE GARDENA 52.

WANTED — BOY, WILL PAY $8 PER week. Call 409 P. E. BLDG.

WANTED — EXXPERIENCED WINDOW cleaner. Call at 7 a.m., 405 W. EIGHTH.

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WANTED—
Help, Male.

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WANTED—HUMMEL BROS. & CO.,
Employment Agents.
Established 1891.
Largest and Best Equipped Office on the Pacific Coast.
Phones: Main 509, Home 10709.
116-118 E. Second st.
Concrete form carpenter, country, $3.50; bicycle enameler, $6; sheet metal worker, $3; auto radiator repair man, $4.50; auto lamp repair man, $4; ornamental iron worker, $3.50; electric hoist man, $3; plumber, $4; wagon varnisher, $2.75; window washer, $14; tongs man, near city, $2.75; ranch stable man, $40 etc.; ranch hand, $35 etc. and $40 etc.; married man, orchard, $50 and house.
HOTEL DEPARTMENT.
Boarding-house cook, Arizona, $90; second cook, $15; waiter, cafe, country, $10; kitchen helper, $9; delicatessen clerk, $15; dishwasher, $8, $9, $10 meals; cake baker, $18; baker helper, $12.

WANTED—
Real estate is the foundation of many fortunes. One or two good sales per month will pay you a good salary.
You may have some friends that want a home or lot. You may run across some one who is in need of a home. We sell on exceedingly easy terms.
Write us for full listing, printed list of moderate-priced houses and lots. Work for yourself, you can earn a good commission. You don't need an office, but work from your own home.
CALIFORNIA REAL ESTATE AND BUILDING CO., formerly
LAWRENCE B. BURCK COMPANY,
Entire fifth floor, Realty Board Bldg.
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WANTED—CLERKS OR
BRIGHT YOUNG MEN.
Reasonable schooling, to fit for GOVERNMENT RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS. Salary $900, promotion; some preliminary evening work necessary. Parcels post goes into effect January 1st. See Instruction adv. See MR. HOFF, 628-30 Security Bldg.

WANTED—SALESMAN TO REPRESENT the stock department of an established strong home building company; stock advances 20 per cent. in price within the next few weeks; an exceptional opportunity is open for a hustler to make some quick money; liberal commission. Apply 508 UNION OIL BLDG.

WANTED—DEMONSTRATORS WHO HAVE had experience that wish to be taught a new profession. Never seen here. No canvassing; no investment; no competition; profits $10 per day. You can't spend a cent with me. It will pay you to investigate. Address 375 SOUTH SPRING ST., upstairs.

WANTED — A SALESMAN OF ABILITY and push, one capable of producing results, to call on high-class acreage prospects; must be man of refinement and culture, with experience in salesmanship. Unquestionable references. Address D, box 136 TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—GOOD MALE STENOGRAPHER under thirty who can operate Smith-Premier typewriter. State experience, references and salary desired. Permanent to suitable party. Good chance for promotion. Address J, box 188, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SALESMAN FAMILIAR WITH automobile and machinery lubricating greases, good commission proposition for right man. Call 9 to 11 a.m., Thursday. TILTON GRAPHITE GREASE CO., 1320 San Pedro st. Phone 25349.

WANTED—AN UP-TO-DATE TAXIDERMIST must be sober, energetic and capable of mounting large game and game heads. Correspondence graduates need not apply. Good position for the right man. J. W. GELTZ, 401 Klibourne st., Seattle, Wash.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED WHOLESALE woodenware salesman with excellent references, for good position; must be ambitious and under 40; salary $100 up. MERCANTILE REFERENCE ASSN., Higgins Bldg.

WANTED — IMMEDIATELY, SEVERAL MEN TO COACH FOR CUSTOMHOUSE AND INTERNAL REVENUE POSITIONS, EXAMINATION FEB. 1, LAST CHANCE THIS YEAR. 604 CITIZENS' NAT'L BANK BLDG. SEE AD. UNDER INSTRUCTION COURSE.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER AND BOOK-keeper under 35 to act as private secretary to manager of well-known insurance company; excellent prospects, $90. MERCANTILE REFERENCE ASSN., Higgins Bldg.

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED TITLE searcher with California experience for excellent position in near-by city, salary $100; excellent opportunity for advancement; local men preferred. Address H, box 238, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — WAITER, $35 FD., PANTRY man, $10 week, ice cream man, check-room boy, 2 elevator men, 1 pot washer, 1 vegetable man, 1 marker for laundry. TOURIST EMP. OFFICE, 145 S. Spring, room 212.

WANTED — CORPORATION WANTS healthy youth over 18, special messenger. One who qualifies will receive $2 per day and free use of motorcycle. Address J, box 212, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—STOCK AND BOND SALESMEN for a guaranteed "Money-back" stock which is easy to sell. Investors are fully protected, and the profits are large. FAIRHEAD, 513 Stimson Bldg.

WANTED—$25 PER WEEK FOR TWO A1 experienced installment collectors, only experienced men need apply. Apply 8 to 10 Thursday morning, SERVICE CO., temporary office 210 S. FLOWER.

WANTED — TUCKER'S HOTEL RESTAURANT Employment Agency, 211½ W. Second st. Cooks, waiters, porters, bus boys, kitchen men, pot, glass, dishwashers, house-men. Call Tucker's.

WANTED—A GOOD STOCK SALESMAN, who can get out and sell a block of stock for a manufacturing firm; good deal for the right man. Address C, box 570, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — BLACKSMITH; GOOD HORSE-shoer and all-around workman; steady job and good wages to right party the year round; young married man preferred. Address N., care TRIBUNE, Fullerton, Cal.

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WANTED — FIRST-CLASS SALESMAN, familiar with sales of bonds and stock; good position for right party. Address C, box 528, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN STENOGRAPHER must have legal experience, good salary. Apply COMPANY PUBLIC STENOGRAPHERS, 328 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED — TWO RELIABLE COLORED men for general work around house, garage and lawn; small wages; good home. Call at 197 W. 40TH PLACE.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS PLUMBER TO work by day or by contract. Must have his own tools. Call all day. LOUIS ZELDEN, 127 N. Utah st.

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WANTED—WINDOW TRIMMER FOR GENERAL merchandise store, north, $75 to start. 309 GERMAIN BLDG.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED PRESSER ON pants, good wages paid. Apply 316 GERMAIN BLDG., 224 S. Spring st.

WANTED — PLASTERING CONTRACTOR to figure on 3000 yards of plastering. Call WILSHIRE 4036.

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED GROCERY clerk and solicitor; must know the business. WILSHIRE 3734 or HOME 54236.

WANTED—A NO. 1 SOLICITOR FOR SPECIAL work on The Times. See THURNAU, third floor Times Bldg.

WANTED—A-1 SHEET METAL WINDOW man. If you are no window man, do not call. 751 EAST 8TH ST.

WANTED—COLORED OR WHITE BOYS TO work at the PALM DYE WORKS, 2130 W. Pico.

WANTED — SALESMAN FOR RUG AND drapery department, experience necessary. J. M. HALE CO., 345 S. Broadway.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

WANTED—BOOK OR INSURANCE SALESMAN, we want real live snappy well dressed men, those who can make an opening themselves or will work from real leads. Good men will be delighted with these opportunities we offer. CLEAVER, 512 Consolidated Realty Bldg.

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WANTED—
EXPERIENCED SALESMEN,
for gents' furnishing department. Apply SCHAPER'S, Seventh and Hill.

WANTED—ONE FLAT WORK WASHER, 2 large boys to shake out clothes, one to help on wagon. Apply NEW METHOD LAUNDRY, 401 E. Sixth st.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BOOK-KEEPER, none other need apply. Call between 9 and 11 o'clock this morning. OVERELL FURN. CO., 700 S. Main st.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED CHINA AND glassware packer. Apply with references. VOLLMER-JANTZEN CO., Northeast corner 7th and Hill.

WANTED—HIGH SCHOOL BOY WITH some clerking experience. Apply 8 a.m. Wholesale Dept., THE OWL DRUG CO., 238½ S. Los Angeles st.

WANTED—JOB COMPOSITOR, CALL THIS morning second floor W. P. JEFFRIES CO., 117 Winston st.

WANTED—2 BOYS TO LEARN THE BUSINESS. Apply CARLSON HAND LAUNDRY, 710 West Third st.

WANTED—A GOOD, EXPERIENCED DELIVERY man for west side grocery. 1426 WEST PICO.

WANTED—A MAN TO CLEAR FEW ACRES of land for use of same one year. Address 606 N. SOTO ST. Phone 41906.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS JOBBING CARPENTER. Apply this morning, SCOTT, the Roofer, 1702 S. Main.

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WANTED—A WIREMAN. PHONE GARDENA 54.

WANTED—CHANDELIER MAKER. APPLY McCURDY, MILLER CO., 706 S. Spring st.

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Help, Male and Female.
(Investment Required.)

WANTED—LADIES OR GENTLEMEN. IF you earn less than $200 per month, quit your job. I can show you how with a capital of $100 you can make from $300 to $500 per month without labor. This is no fake but a fair, square, business proposition. See me at once and go to work for yourself. I can convince you. 702 S. SPRING, Room 206.

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WANTED—A RELIABLE MAN WITH $1500 to take a half interest in an established business. A man who can take charge of office and attend to city trade. Salary $75 per month. CHAS. N. GREEN, 240 Byrne Bldg.

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WANTED—HAVE GOOD OPENING FOR INDUSTRIOUS man who can invest $150 in business that will pay $100 month, clean light work. Call Room 427 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

WANTED—GOOD TRUSTWORTHY MAN who can invest $250 with services to help manage an old established business. Will pay $125 per month. Clean, light work. No experience necessary. Call ROOM 616 Chamber of Commerce Bldg.

WANTED — A MIDDLE-AGED LADY AS housekeeper in small country hotel; wages $40 month, board and room; chance to invest a few hundred dollars. Tel. Ontario 174L. Write or call Manager, PARK HOTEL, Ontario, Calif.

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WANTED—CARPENTERS TO BUILD BUNGALOWS. A very small investment with your labor. You build for yourself and make the profit. DE BELL & PARAMORE, 319 Wright & Callender Bldg.

WANTED—A MAN WHO IS DESIROUS TO start a stock company. Must have $500 to buy a useful invention recently patented. Apply to A. L. OLSON, 259 West 43rd st., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—LADIES TO TRAVEL, SALARY and expenses; also local agents. 1137 WEST LAKE AVE., off 11th st. 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

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WANTED — GIRLS FOR NICE CLEAN work, wages $7 per week at start, raise at end of first month. DIAMOND LAUNDRY, 241 E. Fifth st.

WANTED WATER COLOR ARTIST, WHO has some experience in this line, man or woman. Address KRAUS, Business Broker, 375 South Spring st., upstairs.

WANTED — GIRL OVER 18, MUST BE quick and accurate at figures, and good plain writer. DIAMOND LAUNDRY, 241 E. Fifth st.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BREAD WRAPPER, 5 to 6 hours' work daily, $6 per week. WITTE BAKING CO., 6414 S. Vermont. Vermont 1137.

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WANTED—GIRL TO WASH DISHES AND help with general housework; no children; wages $20 per month. Call before 2 p.m., 700 HARVARD BLVD.

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WANTED — WORKING HOUSEKEEPER. Modern bungalow. Call 228 N. MATTHEWS ST., or phone 41577.

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WANTED — EXPERIENCED BINDERY girls, inexperienced girls need not apply. SEGNOGRAM PRESS, 1719 Kane st.

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WANTED — A GIRL OR WOMAN TO ASSIST with house work and children. Apply 1134 W. 17TH ST. Phone 22710.

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WANTED—A YOUNG LADY TO RUN A cigar stand. 135 E. SECOND ST.

WANTED—GIRLS IN CANDY DEPARTMENT. KAHN-BECK CO., 600 Aliso st.

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO TAKE CARE of small child during day. 531 W. PICO.

WANTED — STARCH IRONERS. APPLY CARLSON HAND LAUNDRY, 710 W. 3rd.

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Help, Female.

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Two family cooks, city, $45; another, $40; five second girls, city, $35; waitress and parlor maid, country, $40; upstairs girl, Coronado, $35; cook and waitress, two in family, $70; housegirls, city and country, $15 to $40.
HENDERSON EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,
455 S. Broadway.

WANTED—THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED head waitress, good salary; 4 a la carte waitresses, 2 hotel waitresses, $30 fd., near city; 3 hotel waitresses, $25 fd.; 3 restaurant waitresses, 4 chambermaids, 1 linen-room woman; 1 checker, 1 cashier for cafe. TOURIST EMP. OFFICE, 145 S. Spring st., room 210.

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Cook, short order, $15; meat carver, $12; serving girls, $7; waitresses, Arizona and Nevada, beaches, hotels, restaurants, kitchen women, chambermaids, hotels, rooming-houses. Call Tucker's.

WANTED — ASSISTANT BOOK-KEEPER and stenographer or good typist, with thorough experience in real estate business, selling homes on installments; must possess good personality, refinement and education. See MR. LYONS, Office Experts and Accountants' Bureau, 420 California Bldg.

WANTED — COOK AND SECOND MAID, ranch, $65 month; family cook, $45; housegirls, many good places, $40 etc., $25 etc.; girls to assist, $15 to $30; chambermaid, apartment house, $30, board and room. Call early.
SWEDISH & GERMAN EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 101½ South Broadwaq.

WANTED—DEMONSTRATORS WHO HAVE had experience that wish to be taught a new profession. Never seen here. No canvassing; no investment; no competition; profits $10 per day. You can't spend a cent with me. It will pay you to investigate. Address 375 SOUTH SPRING ST., upstairs.

WANTED — ACTIVE, INTELLIGENT, EDUCATED girl to wait on stationery customers; must have some idea about being business like, orderly and quick; some answering of phones and errands; give age, experience and phone. $6. Address J, box 250, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—APARTMENT HOUSE JANITOR and wife, $75 and apartments; cashier, restaurant; waitresses, arm and tray; carvers, servers; cook and wife as helper, country hotel; dining-room girl, same place. Call SMITH'S AGENCY, 505½ S. Main st.

WANTED—GOOD DRESSMAKER TO EXCHANGE work with prominent vocal teacher for lessons and some cash. Call at 439 BLANCHARD BLDG., Wednesday or Saturday afternoon, or telephone evenings Holly. 1278.

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WANTED — STENOGRAPHER WHO HAS had experience in real estate work and can operate L. C. Smith or Underwood typewriter. Call 701 N. BELMONT AVE., or phone 54754.

WANTED—WOMAN TO DO LIGHT WORK in 5-room cottage, heavy work done by outside woman, every other week, $15 per month. 1622 CHERRY ST. Phone West 2587.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED ALL AROUND pressers on ladies' garments. Apply early Thursday morning, ready for work. PARIS-PACIFIC DYE WORKS, 28th and San Pedro sts.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GIRL FOR GENERAL house work; must be good cook; 4 adults, small washing; wages $35. PHONE 59172.

WANTED—STRONG MIDDLE AGED LADY, plain cooking and general house work; 4 adults; salary $25 per month. HOME PHONE 72063, after 9 a.m.

WANTED — A GIRL TO ASSIST WITH general housework and two children at Venice. Call at 636 S. BROADWAY, third floor.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED GIRL AS nurse, German preferred, one child, upstairs work required. Wages $35. 977 WEST-MORELAND AVE. 55217.

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WANTED—A WOMAN FOR COOKING AND general house work at San Gabriel. Would consider taking woman with child. Apply 602 CALIFORNIA BLDG.

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WANTED—THREE FIRST-CLASS COOKS, also two housemaids. 509 GERMAIN BLDG.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED GIRL TO work on paper boxes, one that can do table work. Call at 206 E. 23RD ST. Phone 25967.

WANTED—ELDERLY WOMAN TO ASSIST with housework, no washing; good home, $15 per month. 1351 W. 37TH PLACE.

WANTED — GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL housework in Riverside home. Call 245½ S. Spring.

WANTED—NEAT GIRL OR WOMAN TO DO chamber work. 527 DUCOMMUN ST.

WANTED—LUNCH WAITRESSES, 11:30 TO 1:30. SWANSON'S, 112 E. Ninth.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED VEST FINISHERS. Call 215 SAN FERNANDO BLDG.

WANTED—GIRL, APPLY EARLY, 627 E. ADAMS ST.

WANTED—
Help, Female.

WANTED — PASTRY COOK, COUNTRY cafeteria, $14 a week; waitresses, city and country hotels, $25 etc.; waitress, R. R. Co., $35 and found; waitresses, restaurants, $7 and $8 a week; waitresses, cafe, country, $30 etc.; waitresses, country restaurant, $9 a week; chambermaids, city, $20 etc. and $25 etc.; linen room girl, hotel, $25 etc.; house girls, city and country, $25 etc. to $40 etc.
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WANTED—SALESWOMEN FOR THE FOLLOWING departments: Shirtwaists, infants' wear and muslin underwear. Only thoroughly experienced salespeople need apply, between 9 and 10:30 a.m. VILLE DE PARIS.

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WANTED — WILL GIVE SOME HONEST woman a good home in exchange for light services as companion to my wife; E. First st. car to Boyle ave. Inquire 1550 PLEASANT AVE.

WANTED — NEAT, RELIABLE GIRL TO assist with general housework and care of children; no cooking; room with bath, good wages and permanent place to right party. Call today. 451 KINGSLEY DRIVE.

WANTED—PLEASANT GIRL TO ASSIST with housework, who will appreciate good home; kind treatment, more than high wages. EAST 3342.

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL FOR GENERAL house work in a cottage; family of 2; washing. Call mornings, except Monday and Thursday. 627 WEST 18TH ST.

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WANTED—GIRL TO DO GENERAL HOUSE-work. 721 BEACON.

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WANTED—CLERK WHO HAS HAD EXPERIENCE in department stores in any line. We wish to teach you a new profession in one hour that you can realize $10 a day. Address KRAUS, Business Broker, 375 South Spring st., upstairs.

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE, DO JANITOR work, apartment-house; man must understand oil burner; will pay experienced party, either white or colored, $75 and apartments. See SMITH, room 1, 505½ S. Main st.

WANTED — MAN AND WIFE, JANITORS, school, $65 month, room and board; man and wife, janitors, $50 to $60 and apartment. Call early. SWEDISH & GERMAN EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 101½ S. Broadway.

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WANTED — AN AIR-BRUSH OPERATOR. Address H, box 287, TIMES OFFICE.

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Help, Male and Female.
(To Learn Trades.)

WANTED — NATIONAL SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING, 2110 W. Seventh. Established 1905. The only practical school in Southern California. The largest, most equipped of its kind. We teach driving, repairing and overhauling all makes of automobiles; students are taught to manufacture and build all machine parts under personal supervision of expert mechanics. Our course in electricity is both theoretical and practical, consisting of house wiring, motor, armature, field wiring, etc.; also complete course of surveying. Value must be paid for; instruction received free is not valuable; we teach what other schools have failed to do; their failure raises our standard. Positions furnished to graduates, also places to work for room and board after school hours. Inspection of shops and interview with students invited. Catalogue free.

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WANTED—APPRENTICE GIRLS WANTED to learn on men's coats. Apply MR. STEIN, 414½ S. Broadway. Take elevator to top floor.

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WANTED—STENOGRAPHER TO CALL AS we wish to teach you a new profession in one hour, that you will realize $10 a day, if you are an experienced stenographer. Address KRAUS, Business Broker, 375 South Spring st., upstairs.

WANTED — DON'T WORK FOR OTHERS. Start mail-order business at home. I made $8500 first year. I will show you how. Instructive booklet free. VOORHIES, Desk I, Omaha, Neb.

WANTED—SEVERAL BRIGHT BOYS TO coach for railway mail clerks. Parcels Post goes in effect January 1st. Night instruction. Two teachers. 604 CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK BLDG.

WANTED—CLERK WHO HAS HAD EXPERIENCE in department stores in any line. We wish to teach you a new profession in one hour that you can realize $10 a day. Address KRAUS, Business Broker, 375 South Spring st., upstairs.

WANTED — SEVERAL CLERKS AND bright boys to prepare for postoffice clerks and letter carriers; entrance examinations soon; thorough preparation by evening study. See MR. HOFF, 628-30 Security Bldg.

WANTED—LOS ANGELES RAILWAY MAIL clerk examination soon; candidates coached free. FRANKLIN INSTITUTE, Dept. 13W, Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED—MAKE MONEY WRITING SHORT stories, or for papers; big pay. Free booklet tells how. UNITED PRESS SYNDICATE, San Francisco.

WANTED — PICTURE PLAY WRITERS; big pay. We'll teach you. Free information. PICTURE PLAY ASSOCIATION, D. 11, San Francisco.

WANTED—BEAUTY CULTURE PAYS BIG Learn right. "FLORENTINE," 227 Mercantile place, near Broadway.

WANTED—LADIES TO COPY DESIGNS IN spare time. Call WOMAN'S NATIONAL ART EXCHANGE, 408 Germain Bldg.

WANTED — TWO LADIES IMMEDIATELY. CORENSON HAIR COMPANY, 639½ S. Broadway.

WANTED—
Situations, Male.

WANTED — PAINTING, PAPER-HANGING; reasonable prices; satisfaction guaranteed. Call GREENBLATT, 15391, Main 565.

WANTED — POSITION BY CHINESE young men, family cook or clean store work. HOME phone 10991.

WANTED — WORK IN GARDEN OR around house, 15c per hour. W. S. WILLIAMS, phone Garvanza 735.

WANTED—JAPANESE MAN, SITUATION AS laundry man or family. TOGO, 2513 S. Hoover st.

WANTED — JAPANESE, WELL EXPERIENCED in laundry, wants position in family. 2513 S. HOOVER ST.

WANTED — PAINTING, TINTING, PAPERING; good work; low prices. Phone WILSHIRE 129; HOME 53478.

WANTED — POSITION BY CHINESE school boy, work for few hours afternoon. Apply 311 MARCHESSAULT ST.

WANTED—BY CHINESE BOY, SITUATION as family cook. Address K, box 62, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CARPENTER WORK BY DAY job. PHONE 29070.

WANTED—
Situations, Male.

WANTED—GENTLEMAN THOROUGHLY acquainted with land in the San Joaquin Valley, backed by personal acquaintance with owners from Bakersfield to Merced and an experienced salesman of ranch properties, desires to connect himself with strong advertising firm who will advertise his listings. Address C, box 488, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN, 8 YEARS IN treasurer's office, two years' telephone train dispatcher, with eastern traction company, three years' freight office experience, wants clerical work where honesty, good character and willingness are needed; can furnish good references. F. H. HINKLEY, 1034 W. Eighth st.

WANTED—BY A STEADY SOBER MAN, position in country hotel or private family as houseman, porter or any other capacity. Can run any make of auto; handy with tools. Good references. Address K, box 56, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN, 33 YEARS OF age, wishes position with private family as an all-around man, handy with tools, well acquainted with driving of automobiles, willing, steady and sober. Address J, box 217, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—JAPANESE CENTRAL EMPLOYMENT AGENCY. All kinds of Japanese help promptly furnished; house and window cleaning department. Phones: Main 2334, F2825. 124½ E. THIRD ST.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED BOOK-KEEPER can take full charge, can operate the typewriter, best of references, will start reasonable. Address B, box 539, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—IN BUILDING COMPANY OR DEPARTMENT as designer, estimator, superintendent or general outside hustler, on salary or commission; good reference. Address B, box 612, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—WORK ON RANCH BY STRONG, healthy young man, experienced in pruning and irrigation, also also handling of cows and chickens. Address C, box 391, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — SITUATION AS PORTER IN good place, thoroughly experienced, best of references; speaks five languages; strictly sober, permanent if satisfactory. Address J, box 205, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION, 7 YEARS' LOCAL experience as cost and price clerk, wholesale hardware, timekeeping, paying and purchasing for railroad contractors. Address J, box 209, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — BY A SCOTCHMAN, FROM the East, position on a poultry ranch, one who understands the science of incubation and egg production, satisfaction guaranteed. D. D. McFADYEN, box 16, Chino, Cal.

WANTED—WORK. ALL I WANT IS FOOTHOLD. Conscientious, painstaking effort will do the rest. Address K, box 42, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION ON FARM, MARRIED man, 21, have been on farm all of my life. Will make good. Write R. J. MOORE, General Delivery, Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS PASTRY AND bread man would like place in cafeteria or hotel. Address K, box 46, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY A MARRIED MAN, POSITION in garage as day or night worker. Good city references. Address K, box 34, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A LAW POSITION BY AN EXPERT typewriter and thoroughly competent office young man with very best of references. Address K, box 35, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION, MAN WITH SOME practical experience automobile repairing and lathe work, wants work in garage or shop. Address K, box 38, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — POSITION, CHAUFFEUR, competent, careful driver and good mechanic. Phones: 12630, Main 1095. SWEDISH BUREAU.

WANTED — COLORED CHAUFFEUR wants position, can do own repairing, best city references. Call BOYLE 499, ask for William.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN 25, EXPERIENCED book-keeper, wants position, city or country. R. S., 2319½ WALL ST. South 3467.

WANTED—POSITION AS SPANISH INTERPRETER or position where Spanish might be used. Address J, box 281, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR WISHES POSITION; good references, 4 years' experience. R. LEUTHOLD, care Braley's Garage, Pasadena.

WANTED—NEED ANY JAPANESE HELP? Call or write.
SUMI'S JAPANESE EMP. CO.,
105 S. San Pedro st. Main 2694; A4491.

WANTED—PAINTING, TINTING, PAPERHANGING; my guarantee is satisfaction. Home phone F1745. 728 S. Main st. T. S. HILL.

WANTED — PAINTING, TINTING, DECORATING; try us, you'll want us again. WILSON A2556, Main 8295.

WANTED — POSITION, BY JAPANESE chauffeur, experienced and good repair. G. M. TAKEMOTO, 158 E. Colorado, Pasadena. Both phones 165, Pasadena.

WANTED—SITUATION, WHITE MAN, FOR janitor. Do window and house cleaning. Garden work. JOE GENES, 2739 Berendo. West 2871.

WANTED—POULTRY WORK OR WOULD go partnership by healthy man with experience. Address K, box 13, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TRANSIT MAN AND DRAFTSMAN desires situation, able to take charge of field party; six years' experience. References. Address K, box 23, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LANDSCAPE PHOTOGRAPHER wishes position. Experience. Samples. References. Address K, box 22, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—GERMAN, 25, WITH EXPERIENCE as waiter, wants position with private family; can do every other housework. KARL HAHN, 543 S. Flower st.

WANTED — CHAUFFEUR, SWEDISH, wants position with private party, careful driver, good mechanic. 213 S. BUNKER HILL AVE. HI SARWY.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WANTS POSITION as waiter, to work with family, or janitor or in office as messenger. ALLAN GREEN, 723 Ceres ave. Broadway 1677.

WANTED — POSITION AS CHAUFFEUR; will do other work; no bad habits; private car preferred. Address C, box 537, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—HOTEL MANAGER; NEW YORK and London experience; age 39; married. ARTHUR BENTLEY, Percival Hotel.

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPER. CAN TAKE care of a small set of books during spare time. Address K, box 39, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY JAPANESE, SITUATION, cook and housework. $25 to $30 a month. Write to J. M., 108 Hewitt st., Los Angeles.

WANTED—SITUATION BY EXPERIENCED janitor and porter, night or day. STEPHEN PHILLIPS, 725 Ceres ave. Main 2614.

WANTED — BUTCHER (MARRIED,) wants steady position to cut meat or drive wagon. Call 973 COURT CIRCLE.

WANTED—POSITION BY MARRIED MAN on ranch, A1 teamster, good reference. Address 1491 E. WALNUT, Pasadena.

WANTED — POSITION BY COMPETENT gardener. Phone 12630, Main 1095. SWEDISH AND GERMAN BUREAU.

WANTED — POSITION AS HOUSEMAN, apartment house preferred. Phone HOLLYWOOD 649.

WANTED—A FINE APPEARING YOUNG man, wide awake, would like a position as real estate salesman. PHONE 41225, Apt. 7.

WANTED—
Situations, Female.

WANTED—POSITION AS CHAMBERMAID by middle-aged woman in hotel or rooming-house, experienced. Address K, box 17, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — COMPETENT MIDDLE-AGED woman wishes position, cook or housework; references if required. Wages $30. Address K, box 16, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — WASHING AND IRONING TO take home by experienced laundress, local references, reasonable prices. Phone SOUTH 2521.

WANTED—POSITION BY YOUNG GERMAN widow and daughter, 7 years of age, as housekeeper. Address C, box 467, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—COMPETENT AND RELIABLE woman wants work by the hour. MRS. PARKER, Phone F5103.

WANTED — CLEANING OR ASSIST IN housework by day or hour. Young woman. Phone BOYLE 2209.

WANTED—GERMAN GRADUATE NURSE wishes position, good massagist. Address 116 S. HOPE ST. Phone Main 3093.

WANTED—BY COLORED GIRL, HOUSE-keeper for one or three persons; plain cooking. Call MAIN 6902.

WANTED — ARTISTIC DRESSMAKER, goes out by day, or takes work home; latest Parisian fashions. Phone 41215, APT. 7.

WANTED—POSITION REQUIRED BY EXPERIENCED cook, English, (cooking only.) Phone BROADWAY 2871 or 636 S. Grand ave.

WANTED—GENERAL HOUSE WORK BY competent cook, Swedish girl, $40 month. Phone 12630; MAIN 1095.

WANTED — A FIRST-CLASS CATERESS wants to serve parties. Call MAIN 6902. Mrs. Van Williams.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED CHAMBERMAID wants position for half day's work. SOUTH 6341, 21276.

WANTED—ALL KINDS OF FIRST-CLASS help for the holidays furnished by BRAYE, 1418 East 9th st. A4513; Main 1045.

WANTED—WOMAN JUST FROM THE EAST wants day's work. Address J, box 236, TIMES OFFICE.

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WANTED— Situations, Female.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED STENOGRAPHER and book-keeper desires permanent position, can furnish best reference from present employers, who are leaving the city. Minimum salary $15 per week. Address J, box 192, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY WANTS EMPLOYMENT before and after school hours in return for board and lodging, thoroughly reliable country girl. Apply MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE, F3198; Main 4798.

WANTED—SITUATION AS HOUSEKEEPER by woman with girl 3½ years; no objection to going to country. Prefer an old couple or widower. MRS. MACINTOSH, 1149 W. First st. Broadway 6274.

WANTED—POSITION BY STENOGRAPHER, with knowledge of book-keeping. Underwood or Remington machine. Moderate salary to start. Address C, box 444, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — COMPETENT OFFICE HELP furnished to business men; prompt, efficient and reliable service assured. CALIFORNIA TEACHERS' BUREAU, 444 I. W. Hellman Bldg. Main 7771, F3636.

WANTED—AN ELDERLY PERSON WANTS light work of any kind, small family, wages moderate, strong and able to work. Address B, box 366, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION BY MIDDLE-AGED lady as housekeeper for an aged couple, or in elderly gentleman's home, good reference. Address by letter. ANNIE M. MURPHY, 1184 W. 14th st., Los Angeles.

WANTED—THE STENOGRAPHERS' ASSOCIATION can supply you promptly and satisfactorily with competent stenographers and bookkeepers. 418 EXCHANGE BLDG. Main 3330; F6697.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER AND BOOK-keeper, first-class all-around office woman. References O.K. Moderate salary. Address S, box 38, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—WASHING, IRONING, CLEANING, by competent woman. Phone mornings, 12649. Main 1095. SWEDISH BUREAU.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED COOK, DISengaged for holidays; dinners, etc. Phone early, Broadway 2371, or room 6, 636 S. GRAND AVE.

WANTED—POSITION AS MANAGER OR assistant in up-to-date apartments. A No. 1 references given. Address K, box 2, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—GOOD CARE OF SICK. KEEP house, special in confinements; Write NURSE B., care Plant, 4054 South Park ave. 71332.

WANTED—YOUNG WOMAN WANTS POSITION as wet nurse. Apply 116 W. 25TH ST. Phones—Home 23870; Sunset South 5207.

WANTED— Situations, Male and Female.

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE, POSITION AS ranch foreman and cook, for alfalfa or grain. Have had 10 years' experience; am good gas engineer and understand motors. Can give references. W. S. HUSTON, R.F.D. No. 4, Box 17.

WANTED — POSITION BY MAN AND wife. Willing to do any kind of work. Have high school education; ages 27 and 26 years. For further information write EUGENE PIPKIN, La Fayette, Tenn.

WANTED—POSITION, MAN AND WIFE, ranch, orchard or private place. PHONE 12639. MAIN 1038.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR AND WIFE AS cook, first-class local references. Want position—DEAN HALLE, 519 Temple st.

WANTED— Work by the Day.

WANTED — GOOD LAUNDRESS WANTS Thursday and Friday. Phone WILSHIRE 2345.

WANTED—DAY WORK BY FIRST-CLASS colored laundress, and house cleaning. MAIN 7003.

WANTED—WOULD LIKE A FEW DAYS' work. Phone MAIN 6433.

WANTED— Agents, Solicitors.

WANTED—

Real estate is the foundation of many fortunes; one or two good sales per month will pay you a good salary.

You may have some friends that want a house or lot. You may run across some one who is in need of a home; we sell on exceedingly easy terms.

Write us for full listing, printed list of moderate-priced houses and lots. Work for yourself—you can earn a good commission. You don't need an office, but work from your own home.

CALIFORNIA REAL ESTATE AND BUILDING CO., formerly LAWRENCE B. BURCK COMPANY. Entire fifth floor Realty Board Bldg. 631 S. Spring st. 10661. Phones: Main 6661.

WANTED—DEMONSTRATORS WHO HAVE had experience that wish to be taught a new profession. Never seen here. No canvassing; no investment; no competition; profits $10 per day. You can't spend a cent without it will pay you to investigate. Address 272 SOUTH SPRING ST., upstairs.

WANTED—ELECTRICIAN WHO HAS HAD two years experience that wishes a brand new business that pays $10 a day; taught in one hour; no investment; no canvassing; no competition. New here. No one has it. Address 272 SOUTH SPRING ST., upstairs.

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WANTED—AGENTS, THE BEST SELLER on earth. Used by everybody. Send 2c stamp for particulars. N. C. WELTIN, 438 E. 28th st.

WANTED—AGENTS TO SELL LARGE tract of irrigated land in subdivisions. Address LANGDON-MERL CO., Modesto, Cal.

WANTED— Partners.

WANTED — PARTNER IN A BUSINESS beyond the experimental stage, and good for $5000 to $10,000 net the coming year. To complete the work now under way which will give three to five times present capacity, $1500 to $3000 is needed; unusual opportunity for investment, with big future assured. This is straight, legitimate business enterprise. Address J, box 297, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNER FOR THE BEST fire extinguisher ever produced on this or any other market for home or auto. $500 for half-interest. Handle your own money. $250 month for any one with the necessary amount. Quick action necessary. Address C, box 542, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—A PARTNER IN REAL ESTATE business, will sell half interest or the whole business, established, large listings; must quit for a time account of health; a good chance for one who understands real estate business. Address C, box 547, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—ACTIVE PARTNER, LICENSED druggist, to establish drug store in thriving community, 14 miles out; A1 location; good lease, will invest equal amount without services. Address K, box 10, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — PARTNER TO BUY HALF INterest in manufacturing a staple article that is in great demand. Business is increasing very fast. Investigation solicited. Party must have $1000. STOKES LAND CO., 604 Higgins Bldg.

WANTED—PARTNER TO TAKE HALF INterest in auto patent, a necessity on every car. Have large exclusive territory for sub-agents. Small amount of cash needed. Call Friday morning at 651 S. HILL ST. Ask for Cushing.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED DYER WANTS partner with few hundred dollars to start wholesale dyeing business; the dyeing business pays 50 per cent. profit. Call evenings after 6 p.m. at 2309 S. HOOVER ST.

WANTED—PARTNER ABLE TO TRAVEL through California with special feature film; earns $10,000 annually; sell half interest for $500 cash. Address J, box 107, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — PARTNER TO BUY INTERest in old-established first-class business, clearing handsome net income; particulars 545 S. BROADWAY, room 202.

WANTED—PARTNER FOR ONE OF THE busiest and oldest employment agencies in city; one retiring. Address J, box 210, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — PARTNER ABLE TO INVEST $7500 can purchase half interest best paying cafeteria in city. Address J, box 108, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — YOUNG LADY WITH REAL estate to exchange for small rooming-house, wants partner with some cash. Address C, box 549, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED— Partners.

WANTED — AN A1 BAKER WITH $1000 cash can buy half interest in a bakery and restaurant showing a profit of $250 and more per month; must be sober and reliable party, $400 of this money to be used in buying supplies; making your half interest cost $600; have a fine trade which can be increased; if you mean business and want something that will grow fast, call MAIN 7046 for a meeting.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH $1000. I HAVE nice business and 5-passenger auto and need good live man. 311 MASON OPERAHOUSE.

WANTED— To Rent.

WANTED—TO RENT NO CHARGE FOR listing your house unfurnished or furnished, in the semi-monthly rental bulletin of the Los Angeles Investment Company. Telephone or call for description blank to fill out. We have more calls for houses than we can supply. List yours at once for the next bulletin. Rental Department, LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT COMPANY, 333 S. Hill st.

WANTED — TO RENT UNFURNISHED houses and bungalows in good condition, from 4 to 8 rooms; we have many customers for houses from $15 to $30 a month; list immediately in our semi-monthly rental bulletin, free of charge. Rental Department, LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT COMPANY, 333 S. Hill st.

WANTED—UNFURNISHED HOUSE.

I want to lease for one or two years a modern, up-to-date house of 9 to 12 rooms. Prefer Wilshire or West Adams Heights sections. Will pay as much as $100 per month if house is satisfactory. Have small family. Address B, box 462, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—TO RENT—

List your houses and flats with us. We have a constant demand for furnished and unfurnished property, from four to twelve rooms. RENTAL DEPARTMENT, CALIFORNIA REALTY CORPORATION, O. E. FARISH, President, 333 S. Hill st.

WANTED—TO RENT, BETWEEN NOW and January 1, for $35, a 4 or 5-room modern bungalow or cottage west of Union—Wilshire way. Preferably between Rampart street and Bimini Baths. Here is an opportunity to obtain a very desirable tenant. Unexceptional reference. Address K, box 16, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—RENT FOR 4 TO 5 MONTHS of nicely furnished bungalow, in good location; 5 or 6 rooms, and bath, garage and lawn; with piano, preferred; no children. F. R. MORNEAULT, Hotel Alexandria, room 427.

WANTED—TO RENT. IF YOUR BUNGAlow is still for rent, you should list it with the Rental Department of PACIFIC HOME BUILDERS, F6808. 321 S. Hill st. Main 4107.

WANTED—HAVE YOU A GOOD SITE FOR a picture show downtown, or well-populated suburb? We have clients will lease at once if you will build theater. Address K, box 70, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — REFINED COUPLE WILL care for home and board gentleman owner for rent of house; references exchanged. PHONE 41245 or BOYLE 1060.

WANTED—TO RENT BARN BETWEEN Jefferson and 9th, east of Main, suitable for team of horses and vegetable wagon. Address B, box 365, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—HOUSES AND FLATS, FURnished and unfurnished. Have parties waiting. BAKER & PORTMAN, 315 Byrne Bldg. A1818.

WANTED—TO RENT IN FROSTLESS neighborhood, 3 to 5 acres, for nursery purposes. Address K, box 31, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — TO RENT COMFORTABLY furnished 3 or 4-room California bungalow, sunny, in the hills, bath, gas, on car line; one fare; no children. A5928.

WANTED—TO RENT—STOCK OR ALFALFA ranch, fully equipped, cash or share rent. Address box 36, TIMES OFFICE, Pasadena.

WANTED— Houses.

WANTED—NEW SIX OR SEVEN-ROOM bungalow, with all modern equipment, situated upon high ground in good residence district. Price $3000 to $5000.

Will trade 500 to 1000 shares, value $1 per share, of good land company stock for first payment, and pay $50 per month for balance until paid. Must have garage in connection and at least 50-foot lot. I mean business and will guarantee stock. Address J.J., box 564, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — I WANT A BUNGALOW. Will give a 6-cylinder standard make touring car as first payment. Want bungalow in the Wilshire district. This is one of the best autos in Los Angeles. Equipment the very best. Car has been run 6500 miles. What have you? Address JJ, box 458, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—FURNISHED AND UNFURnished houses, from $10 to $50. No charge for listing. INDEPENDENT RENTAL, REALTY AND INSURANCE CO., 323 Title Insurance Bldg. F6435; Bdwy. 2715.

WANTED—ABOUT 6 ROOMS, MUST BE IN good shape, reasonable rent, close in; responsible party. Address C, box 432, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED— Rooms.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS DRESSMAKER wants to exchange one day's work per week for sunny room, one in vicinity of Norwood ave. preferred. R. M. W., 1923 Norwood ave.

WANTED—2 YOUNG MEN DESIRE TWO furnished rooms and garage on west side; state rates. Address J, box 253, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — BY YOUNG LADY, ROOM, must have running water and heat, in walking distance. Address C, box 550, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED— Rooms and Board.

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD IN PRIvate house, by a lady who requires care and attention, must be quiet, Hollywood or northwest district. Address with full particulars, stating location, terms, etc. References, K, box 20, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY MARRIED COUPLE, TWO rooms and board in first-class boarding-house; willing to pay for first-class accommodations; permanent. Address C, box 534, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — AT SIERRA MADRE, BY REfined young woman, room with sleeping-out accommodations and board. Please state terms. Address C, box 448, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—IN PRIVATE FAMILY, BOARD and room at once, near school and in good locality, by lady with daughter, 8. State terms. Address J, box 197, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD IN PRIvate family by refined young lady, employed. Address C, box 434, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—BOARD AND ROOM BY YOUNG man in exchange for services before and after school hours. Phone MAIN 6642 or 68310.

WANTED— To Purchase, Real Estate.

WANTED — WE HAVE CLIENTS WITH money that they wish us to place on residence property, southwest district preferred. CUNNINGHAM REALTY COMPANY, 714 Central Bldg. Broadway 1982, 60193.

WANTED — WILL CONSIDER PURCHASing bargain in business or residential properties, exchange loan or borrow money, buy and sell legitimate business propositions. Main 1425. NAPP, 509 California Bldg.

WANTED—IF YOU WANT TO SACRIFICE your real estate, bring your papers, ready for business, to 301 CURRIER BLDG., 212 W. Third st. We have the money waiting for you. No commission charged.

WANTED—TO BUY FOR $14,000 CASH, A beautiful home in or near Los Angeles that looks like $20,000. W. E. STOCKWELL & CO., 304 Grant Bldg. A1953; Main 1559.

WANTED—I WANT HARBOR FRONTAGE What have you? State price and terms. Address C, box 443, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—I WANT AN UNRESTRICTED lot in Southwest, near car line. Have 1911 Chalmers "30" 5-passenger auto as part payment. PHONE 71287.

WANTED— To Purchase, Real Estate.

WANTED—

HAVE CASH CLIENT FOR A REAL, GENUINE OUT AND OUT BARGAIN IN THE WILSHIRE DISTRICT, ABOUT $10,000. DON'T BRING IN YOUR JUNK. THIS CLIENT KNOWS VALUES. OWNERS OR EXCLUSIVE AGENTS GIVE FULL DESCRIPTION AND EXACT LOCATION BY LETTER. ADDRESS D. M. THIES, H. J. RUESS & CO., 504 HIBERNIAN BLDG., LOS ANGELES.

WANTED—

BUNGALOW OF SIX OR SEVEN ROOMS, NEW, OR NEARLY SO, MODERN, NOT OVER BLOCK FROM CAR, NO HEAVY HILL, NORTHWEST OR WILSHIRE SECTIONS. NOT OVER TWENTY MINUTES OUT. THREE BEDROOMS. UNDER $5000. $1000 CASH PAYMENT. DOROTHY M. THIES, 504 HIBERNIAN BLDG. OWNERS, HELP US LOCATE THIS MAN BEFORE 1913.

WANTED—FROM OWNERS ONLY.

WILL HAVE $100,000 IN CASH BY FEBRUARY 1 TO INVEST IN CHEAP ACREAGE SUITABLE FOR DIVIDING INTO SMALL FARMS. POSITIVELY CANNOT DO BUSINESS THROUGH AGENTS. SEND FULL DESCRIPTION FIRST LETTER. H. GUY HAGERTY, 460 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

WANTED—A DESIRABLE RESIDENCE OF about 9 rooms, modern in all respects, on large lot. To be situated in good part of this city, preferably west or southwest. Must be a bargain. Am willing to pay 10 per cent. down and balance in 90 days. Price not to exceed $12,000. Want details as to size of rooms and lot. Will deal with owners only. Address J, box 179, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE—

IF YOU MUST SACRIFICE YOUR PROPERTY FOR IMMEDIATE CASH IT WILL PAY YOU TO SEE US. CALIFORNIA REALTY CORPORATION. O. E. FARISH, PRESIDENT. 333 SO. HILL ST.

WANTED—HAVE CUSTOMER FOR TEN-year lease on vacant lot between Santee and Central.

Jonathan S. Dodge, CALIFORNIA REALTY CORPORATION, 333 South Hill st. 60286. Main 2888.

WANTED—$4000 BUNGALOW HELIOTROPE way, for unincumbered, cozy three-room and bath, California style bungalow; rented at $15. On the hill above Sunset boulevard. Pay difference $20 monthly. J. C. GREEN, Main 3345, 602 Title Insurance Bldg. A4876.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE, AN APARTment site close in, to $3000, upon which will build apartment-house to cost $4500. Will pay some cash and give back second mortgage for balance. See R. W. KINSEY, 419 Trust and Savings Bldg., 6th and Spring sts. Both phones.

WANTED—WE HAVE A $2500 CASH BUYer for a 5 or 6-room bungalow, located in the southwest, must be strictly modern; owners only need apply; we mean business. Submit at once. FILHOL & HODEL, 407-8 International Bank Bldg. M. 1565; F3165.

WANTED—A NEW MODERN RESIDENCE in Wilshire or West Adams section. Must have nine to ten rooms. Will pay up to $15,000 and pay part cash and part clear income property. Address B, box 466, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

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WANTED—TO PURCHASE MODERN BUNgalow to $3000, and give in part payment corner one-half block from City Hall, Wilmington; size 100x145; price $2000, clear; might consider acreage. CHAS. C. PORTER, 1104-5 L. A. Investment Bldg. F4204.

WANTED — 20 TO 150 ACRES OR MORE (hills no objection) within 100 miles Los Angeles, suitable for gentleman's country estate; trees, water, scenery; describe fully. Address P. O. BOX 1136, Pasadena.

WANTED — MANAGER OF LARGE PRINTing and publishing establishment desires to make real estate investment. Will pay cash and printing for desirable property. Address J, box 97, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LOT SOUTH OR SOUTHWEST of Exposition Park. Residential. Address J, box 208, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED— To Purchase, Miscellaneous.

WANTED—

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WANTED—ANY QUANTITY OR QUALITY of restaurant fixtures, store fixtures, office furniture, good household furniture, merchandise. Phone Main 3042, F3031. L. C. SKEELS, 913 S. Main.

WANTED — TOP PRICES PAID FOR LADIES' AND GENTS' GOOD USED CLOTHING; EVENING DRESSES BOUGHT. 905 S. SPRING ST. MAIN 6624, F2800.

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WANTED — FULL DRESS, TUXEDOS, Prince Alberts; all kinds men's clothing; positively highest prices paid. 319 S. SPRING, Room 23. Main 7207, F3928.

WANTED—A 2-H.P. AND A ½-H.P. MOTOR, both 220 volts D. C. Address COMMERCIAL PRINTING HOUSE, 218 Boyd st.

WANTED — MEN'S CAST-OFF CLOTHING, evening wear, etc. Only reliable house paying highest prices. ARNOLD, Main 5745; A5731.

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WANTED — SCOTTY PAYS CASH FOR wagons, harness, saddles, all kinds of tools, at 135 S. LOS ANGELES ST. Main 2326.

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WANTED—TO BUY DIAMONDS FOR cash. See OTTO JAESCHKE, at 457 S. Spring st.

WANTED—BUY DIAMONDS. 412 O. T. JOHNSON BLDG.

WANTED—CASH PAID FOR FEATHER beds. 758 SAN PEDRO ST. Main 1190.

WANTED — CASH PAID FOR FEATHER beds. 3427 S. MAIN. Phone South 6304; 24913.

WANTED— Miscellaneous.

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WANTED — BOOKS BOUGHT. DAWSON'S BOOK SHOP, 518 S. Hill. F3250, Main 3859.

WANTED— Miscellaneous.

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WANTED— Furniture.

WANTED—WE PAY THE VERY HIGHEST cash price for all kinds of furniture, household goods, merchandise, etc.; any quantity. We also sell on commission and advance cash on consignments. A trial will convince you, and we are always at your service. We have the largest, best-equipped and oldest auction house in the State. REED & HAMMOND, auctioneers, 747-749 S. Spring st. Tel. Broadway 2560, Home F3545.

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WANTED — GET MY FIGURE ON ANY amount of second-hand furniture you have to sell. Prompt calls. MAIN 4231.

WANTED — PARTY DESIRES TO PURchase furniture of 5 or more rooms. 22388. 1456 S. UNION AVE.

WANTED—SEE US BEFORE DISPOSING OF your furniture. We buy, sell or exchange. ROSSNERS, F3624.

WANTED — FURNITURE, ETC. HIGHEST price paid. Phone BDWY. 1791. 417 W. 7TH.

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Just opened.
HOTEL OVIATT,
up-to-date,
private phones,
private baths,
automatic elevators,
hot and cold water,
steam heat,
wall beds,
all outside rooms,
vacuum cleaned,
large ground floor lobby,
rates $1.00 per day,
$3.50 to $7.00 per week.
Special by month.
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TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY ROOMS. Opposite Courthouse. 206 North Broadway.

Very desirable location, one block from new postoffice and car service in all directions; elegant furnishings; handsome lobby; free telephones in rooms; elevators; steam heat, hot water, private baths; roof garden; in fact, every modern convenience and a very desirable house. Our rates are always very moderate and popular. Home PHONE 10667, SUNSET BROADWAY 6750.

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Main entrance, 314 West Fourth st., near Broadway, the center of the shopping district. ATTRACTIONS—An exceptionally light, new and modern house of 150 rooms, unsurpassed in furnishings, bedding, cleanliness and service; steam heat, hot water and free telephone in all rooms.

POPULAR PRICES—$5, $6 and $7 a week, $1 a day; with private bath, $1.50.

PATRONAGE—Besides its extensive following of permanent guests, over ten thousand suburbans and tourists annually register at THE SHERMAN. Telephone Main 7087.

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606 S. HOPE ST., COR. 6TH.

Newly furnished, quiet sunny rooms.

With or without private bath, hot and cold running water, steam heat.

Nice roomy lobby and sun parlor. Single rooms, per week, $4 and up; with private bath, $6 and up. HOME F4236; MAIN 2062.

TO LET—THE LYNHURST AT 1052 SOUTH Olive street, only 6 minutes' walk from Central Park, has newly furnished rooms, some in front. Prices from $2 to $2.50 per week. See them at once as there are but few left. F4492.

TO LET—ABOVE HILL-ST. TUNNEL, TWO large, sunny, furnished housekeeping rooms; clean and quiet; fireplace, sink, closets, yard, porches, separate entrance. 129 N. HILL ST. Ideal for two people.

TO LET—OPENING OF WESTLAKE RESTful Inn, 736 S. Alvarado, beautiful rooms, board if desired; first-class, beautiful grounds, sunshine and flowers, near park. Garage. Make reservation. PHONE 53560.

TO LET—HADDEN HALL HOTEL, 330½ South Spring st. Large clean, well-furnished rooms, 50c, 75c, $1.00 per day; $2 to $4 per week.

TO LET—LARGE SUNNY ROOM, ADJOINing bath, south exposure, private family, walking distance, elegant location. 527 BIXEL, corner Sixth. Phone 53400.

TO LET — LARGE 4-ROOM HOUSEKEEPing suite in cottage, with bath, reception hall, porch, barn, sewing machine, $30. Apply 143 S. FIGUEROA ST.

TO LET — COMPLETELY FURNISHED, sunny apartment of 4 rooms and bath, on car line. Telephone and water paid. Adults. PHONE 27781 mornings.

TO LET — NICE SUNNY ROOM, NEW house, select neighborhood, walking distance; reasonable. Sixth st. Loop car. 455 LUCAS AVE.

TO LET—SUNNY FRONT ROOM, LARGE sleeping porch, in refined home near Westlake Park; housekeeping privileges. 433 S. WESTLAKE AVE. Phone 51946.

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TO LET—TWO NICELY FURNISHED SUNny front rooms, Westlake district. Will give board. Best of home cooking; garage. Call 817 S. BURLINGTON. Phone 54099.

TO LET—ONE LARGE, ALSO ONE SMALL room in private family; hot water, telephones and all conveniences; walking distance. 1545 ORANGE. 55488.

TO LET—LARGE SUNNY ROOM, PRIVATE family; fine location; men preferred. 1012 DOUGLAS ST. Angeleno Heights car.

TO LET — HOTEL LOCKE, 2ND AND Hill, all large outside rooms, $2.50 and $3 per week. Easy entrance on 2nd st.

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TO LET—HOMELIKE, PRETTILY FURnished room in private family. Modern. $10 per month. 2726 S. VERMONT.

TO LET—IDEAL SLEEPING PORCH, BED-room for gentleman. PHONE 53065.

TO LET — LIGHT, AIRY, SUNNY ROOMS, rates reasonable. 341 S. OLIVE.

TO LET—LIGHT, AIRY, SUNNY ROOMS. 343 S. OLIVE. Phone F2077.

TO LET—NICE FRONT ROOM TO LADY. $7 per month. 465 CENTENNIAL. Temple car.

TO LET—NEWLY FURNISHED OUTSIDE rooms, $2.50 up. 753½ S. BROADWAY.

TO LET—$2, $2.25 WEEK EACH, FURNISHed housekeeping rooms. 548 EAST PICO.

TO LET— Furnished Rooms.

TO LET—HOTEL PLEASANTON, 1120 S. Grand ave., finely furnished rooms, with or without private bath, elegant lobby, amusement hall, veranda in front, steam heat; phone in all rooms, only a few blocks from Broadway. $3.50 per week and up. BROADWAY 3221. F1626.

TO LET— Unfurnished Flats.

TO LET—WESTLAKE DISTRICT.

Elegant sunny, corner, upper 5-room bungalow flat, south exposure; two large, airy bedrooms, finished in white enamel; oak floors, all built-in features; must be seen to be appreciated. Will be vacated about December 22; adults. Apply 950 PARK VIEW ST., corner W. 10th. W. Ninth st. car.

TO LET — SUNNY NEW FLAT AT 329 W. VERNON, near Moneta ave. Hardwood floors, 2 disappearing beds, mantle, buffet, bookcases, walls beautifully decorated, linoleum in kitchen and bath, gas range, two porches, garage. Adults.

TO LET—NEW FIVE-ROOM FLAT, HALF block north of Westlake Park; hardwood floors, laundry tubs, built-in beds, bookcases, seats, buffet, elegantly finished; inexpensive, odorless heating. PHONE 51568.

TO LET—MODERN, 4 ROOMS, WITH PRIvate entrance, porch and bath, beautiful location; Jap boy attends to flowers, lawn and garage. 23483. Apply 1016½ W. WASHINGTON.

TO LET — UNFURNISHED FLATS, ALL modern, built-in features, neatly furnished, Wilshire district. MORRIS & VICTOR, F2830. 704 Hibernian Bldg.

TO LET — 4-ROOM UPPER FLAT; HARDwood floors, wall beds, built-in buffet, bookcases and desk, cabinet kitchen, laundry tray, gas range and linoleum; large porches; adults. 127½ E. 31ST ST.

TO LET—NEW MODERN 2-ROOM FLATS, two disappearing beds, near South Park, rent $20. 479 EAST 49TH ST.

TO LET—NEW MODERN 4-ROOM FLAT, $30 per month 1660 Lenox ave. Take Washington or W. 16th car. Phone Main 5405.

TO LET—4-ROOM FLAT, 312 STOCKTON ST., gas range, bath, etc.; water paid; rent $15. HUBBELL INVESTMENT CO., Phone A7734. 502 Bullard Block.

TO LET — TWO NEW SUNNY 4-ROOM flats, furnace heat supplied free, sleeping porch. Ninth street car to Westmoreland.

TO LET — UNFURNISHED FLAT OF 4 rooms, $22. 2408 W. 11TH, corner of Hoover.

TO LET— Furnished Flats.

TO LET — FURNISHED 5-ROOM FLAT, 2 disappearing beds, one single bed, living-room, built-in effects, private front and rear porches, steam heat, janitor service, high class Westlake district. THE ROYAL COURT, Coronado and Sixth sts. Phone 54091.

TO LET—3 LARGE OUTSIDE ROOMS, BATH and dressing-rooms; complete and luxurious furnishings; separate front and rear entrances; built-in bungalow features; disappearing beds; exclusive residence location. 2621 RAYMOND AVE.

TO LET — 4 ROOMS, BATH, PORCH, laundry, garden, all comforts, sunny and clean, beautiful view, moderate, adults, Western ave. car. 5044 MAPLEWOOD AVE. Phone Hollywood 1289.

TO LET—FURNISHED, SUNNY, UPPER bungalow flat, 5 rooms and bath, everything new and first-class, convenient to city and Short Line beach cars. Adults. Only $45 per month. 2006½ FIFTH AVE.

TO LET—NEW, UP-TO-DATE, HEATED FLATS. 1416 ALVARADO TERRACE. PICO OR 16TH ST. CARS.

TO LET — MODERN 4 LARGE ROOMS, bath, closet, front and back porch, private entrance, southeast exposure. 621 W. 36TH ST. Phone 21745.

TO LET—3-ROOM FURNISHED LOWER flat, piano, telephone, private bath, screen porch, water paid; adults only, $30. 2600 E. 2ND ST. Boyle 1378.

TO LET—4-ROOM UPPER FURNISHED flat, $18, at 1908 E. 4TH ST., near Hollenbeck Park.

TO LET — FURNISHED FLAT 5 ROOMS, walking distance near 6th. 546 FREMONT AVE.

TO LET — FURNISHED, BEAUTIFUL SUNny flat, 6 rooms and sleeping porch, garage opposite. 1529½ W. SEVENTH ST.

TO LET — 4-ROOM FURNISHED FLAT, 827 LINCOLN ST., near Ninth and Figueroa. Call before 2 o'clock.

TO LET—4-ROOM FURNISHED FLAT, NEAR Westlake Park. Call 2322 W. EIGHTH ST.

TO LET — CLOSE-IN, 3-ROOM MODERN sunny flat, 2 beds. 1469 GIRARD ST.

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TO LET— Apartments Furnished.

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$25 monthly; something unique; absolutely new; 2 rooms, beautifully furnished, housekeeping suites; steam heated, hot and cold water, private bath, both phones, walking distance. DEW DROP INN, 124 Bolyston.

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TO LET—

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Choice outside apartments; private baths; direct phones; steam heat; five minutes to Broadway. Rates reasonable.

TO LET—$12-$14 MONTHLY, SPOTLESSLY clean apartments, special beds, hair mattresses, spacious grounds, aviary, flowers. PORTLAND APARTMENTS, 911 Diamond st. Walking distance, one block north of First and Figueroa.

TO LET—ROOSEVELT APARTMENTS. $16, $18, $20 monthly. Furnished for housekeeping. Spotlessly clean, large, airy rooms. A 10-minute walk from Third and Broadway. 334 S. FIGUEROA ST.

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TO LET—

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New modern house, outside rooms. Dressing rooms. Special rates.

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TO LET — LANFIELD APARTMENTS, 442 N. Fremont. Sunny, quiet, strictly modern, two-room suites, walking distance, $16 up. Lights, linen, hot water included. A2457.

TO LET — NICE SUNNY 3-ROOM APARTment with private bath; 3 minutes' walk from Courthouse; quiet and homelike. JEROME APTS., 710 California st.

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Better than ever.

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TO LET—"SAN DONA" APARTMENTS, 1406 West 7th st. Newly decorated, 3 and 5-room apartments. All conveniences. Large porches, cozy sun parlors. $35 up. Walking distance.

TO LET—THE TEMPLETON, 580 TEMPLE. 2 and 3-room apartments, all outside and sunny, clean and homelike. Only 3 blocks from Broadway. Low rates.

TO LET—2 NEWLY FURNISHED APARTments, at 1521 W. 20TH. Mrs. Bowman, Phone 24290.

TO LET—BUNGALOW APARTMENTS, 300 SUNSET BLVD., 2 and 3-room suites, walking distance. Telephone Main 2049.

TO LET—THE HARGRAVE, LARGE CORner apartment, sunny all day, elegantly furnished for four; easy walking distance. 143 S. FIGUEROA.

TO LET—3-ROOM HOUSEKEEPING APARTments; nicely furnished; phone and bath; walking distance. 435 BIXEL.

TO LET—3-ROOM APARTMENT WITH PRIvate bath; sunny porches. 321 W. 4TH, near Figueroa. Suitable for 4 persons, $34.

TO LET—HALE APARTMENTS, NEATLY furnished 2-room apartments, steam heat, private bath. WILSHIRE 304.

TO LET— Apartments Furnished.

TO LET — 2000 MODERN HOUSEKEEPing apartments, furnished, complete, especially ventilated, homelike, convenient arrangements, large grounds, flowers, birds. We can locate you where you will be suited. Rates $12 to $100 monthly. Walking distance.

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SEATTLE, 812 W. 4th, 2 rooms	$30
ROOSEVELT, 334 S. Figueroa, 3 rooms	$18
GENEVA, 204 N. Fremont, 3 rooms	$18
RAMONA, 218 N. Fremont, 2 rooms	$16
PORTLAND, 911 Diamond st., 2 rooms	$12
MICHIGAN, 1133 W. First st., 2 rooms	$12
ST. LOUIS, 1141 W. First st., 2 rooms	$12
BOSTON, 1601 E. Ninth, 3 rooms	$12
PITTSBURGH, 838 Crocker st	$12
DEW DROP INN, 124 N. Boylston	$25
SUNNY SLOPE, 1150 Mignonette	$25

Owned and operated by the CONSERVATIVE INVESTMENT CO., 408 W. Sixth st. PHONES: A2042; Main 2042. Mr. Close, Rental Department, for up-to-date list.

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THE BURLINGTON,
Ninth and Burlington ave.
Thoroughly renovated and refurnished. Beautiful drawing-room, billiard room and ballroom. The view of the city from our roof garden cannot be equaled.
Rates $25 to $75. F. J. NICHOLSON.

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UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT.
REFITTED AND REFURNISHED.
3-ROOM APARTMENTS.
$40 PER MONTH AND UP.

TO LET—GRANADA APARTMENTS, SITUated on the hill at 419 South Grand ave., away from the noise of the traffic. Only three blocks to 4th and Broadway. Steam heat, hot and cold running water, telephone service in every apartment. Large lobby and front veranda running full length of building. Most homelike apartment-house in the city. Entirely renovated room top to bottom. Spotlessly clean. Management invites your inspection. Single rooms, $16 to $20. One-room apartment, $22.50 to $27.50. Two-room apartment, $35 to $40. Three-room apartment, $42.50 to $65.

TO LET—

THE SINTON APARTMENT HOTEL.
New Building. Modern throughout.
916 W. Ninth st.

Single room apartments, completely and elegantly furnished. Sun parlor, roof garden, steam heat, hot and cold water; public shower baths; private baths and telephone in each apartment. Phones: HOME 53421, BROADWAY 6842.

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THE STRATFORD.

Strictly high-class apartment hotel. West Sixth and Burlington, 4 minutes' walk from center of city, two blocks from Westlake Park; large veranda, lawn and flowers; tennis courts; 2, 3 and 4-room apartments, completely furnished.

TO LET—

THE FRANK APARTMENTS.

New and most modern, hot and cold running water; all outside rooms; private phones fine lobby, music room, sun parlor, amusement room. 2522 W. Ninth st., corner Hoover. Sunset Wilshire 2130. Home 54287. JOE B. ALEXANDER.

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TO LET—SCARBOROUGH APARTMENTS. JUST OPENED. FIRST-CLASS IN EVERY WAY. 539 SOUTH FLOWER. 5 MINUTES' WALK FROM BROADWAY.

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YOUNG APARTMENTS,
Fireproof Construction.
Grand avenue at 17th street.

Just completed and furnished in a manner to appeal to people of refinement; elevators, lobby, assembly-room and billiard-room.

TO LET—

Edgerly Apartments.
1020 South Hope.
Strictly first-class.
Special summer rates.
F3814. Main 1183.

TO LET—

THE EDWARDS APARTMENTS.

1427 Griffith avenue; nicely furnished three-room housekeeping apartments, with PRIVATE BATH, ONLY $20 (worth $40.) Two vacancies. Come today. Home phone 23292.

TO LET—THE JOHN ADAMS. Cor. Adams and Maple, one block from Main. Do you want the largest, sunniest, cheeriest, warmest and newest apartment in the city? Give us a call. Owner's rates. 21634, SOUTH 2900.

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TO LET—NEW 5-ROOM REAR COTTAGE, [illegible] W. WASHINGTON, [illegible] West 4313.

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TO LET — SOMETHING DIFFERENT. [illegible] furnished 3 rooms and bath Swiss [illegible] bungalow, concealed beds, dressing [illegible] writing desk, hardwood floors, break-[illegible] front and back porches. Univer-[illegible] marked Dalton ave., off at Hallidale. [illegible] BROWNING BLVD. Phone 77461.

TO LET—FURNISHED, $[illegible], NICELY FUR-[illegible] modern bungalow, 730 West [illegible] yard, sleeping porch, in desir-[illegible] west of Figueroa. Take [illegible] Grand ave. car. WOLCOTT, [illegible] Bdwy. A2621.

[illegible] HOTEL, 671 [illegible] front suite, [illegible] 2 closets, [illegible] room, with [illegible] excellent [illegible] unexcelled table [illegible]

TO LET—BEAUTIFUL 7-ROOM NEW BUN-[illegible] elegant furniture, including fine pi-[illegible] Hoover and Figueroa, north of [illegible] STEINSEN & VAN CREE-[illegible] Fourth and Broadway.

[illegible] WILSHIRE [illegible]

TO LET—HOUSES, BUNGALOWS, FLATS [illegible] furnished, any part of the city. If [illegible] be located at once see us. INDEPENDENT REALTY, RENTAL AND INSURANCE CO., 253 Title Insurance Bldg.

TO LET—MODERN 1½-STORY 5-ROOM [illegible] bungalow, half block to car line, [illegible] First and Broadway. Tem-[illegible] Owner, 2544½ ROSEMONT.

HOME FOR PEOPLE [illegible] living, Westlake [illegible] well furnished [illegible] house [illegible] excellent car [illegible] and view [illegible]

[illegible] YOU ARE LOOKING FOR A [illegible] unfurnished bungalow you [illegible] on the Rental Department of PACIFIC HOME BUILDERS, [illegible] Hill st.

TO LET—FURNISHED BUNGALOW, COM-[illegible] bath, den, 2 mantels, [illegible] WEST 41ST PLACE. [illegible] Place. Phone 25743 or [illegible]

[illegible] ROOM WITH [illegible] furnace heat [illegible] distance [illegible] block [illegible]

TO LET—NEW MODERN 5-ROOM BUNGA-[illegible] furniture, cut glass, china; [illegible] lawn and flowers; rent [illegible] Corner Melrose and [illegible]

[illegible] BROOKE [illegible] in beautiful [illegible] bath [illegible] excellent table [illegible]

TO LET—7-ROOM BUNGALOW, COM-[illegible] new throughout; 6 months [illegible] West Adams Heights.

[illegible] FIGUEROA HAS [illegible] painted and decorated [illegible] S. FIGUEROA.

TO LET—6-R. MODERN 4-ROOM COT-[illegible] furnished, garden, flowers, [illegible] and telephone, water and [illegible] PHONE EAST 1117.

[illegible] FURNISHED [illegible] excellent table [illegible] overlooking [illegible] between Fifth and [illegible]

TO LET—[illegible] MODERN BUNGALOW, [illegible] furnace heat; location [illegible] PLACE. Key at 1326 West [illegible]

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED 5-ROOM [illegible] Washington and Essex sts. [illegible] CENTRAL AVE. Phone Home [illegible]

[illegible] OF WESTLAKE [illegible] Alvarado st. [illegible] beautiful [illegible] park [illegible]

TO LET—FURNISHED, 3 NICE ROOMS, ½ [illegible] gas, electric light, phone; no [illegible] EAST 30TH ST., between Cen-[illegible]

FURNISHED ROOM [illegible] attractive [illegible]

TO LET—FURNISHED COMPLETE, PLEAS-[illegible] 5-room cottage; yard, [illegible] DRIVE, near Eighth [illegible]

[illegible] CONNECTING ROOMS [illegible] board, close in [illegible] Hollywood car [illegible]

TO LET—[illegible] furnished 4-room Hol-[illegible] with large garden. 6271 HOL-[illegible]

[illegible] BOARDING-HOUSE [illegible] best home [illegible] people [illegible] Wilshire [illegible]

TO LET—[illegible] MODERN 5-ROOM FURNISH-[illegible] 5 cent car fare, in [illegible] Main 5287. 3522 LEX-[illegible]

[illegible] SUNNY ROOMS [illegible] best of table [illegible] SHATTO ST. [illegible]

TO LET—[illegible] furnished house, ten rooms, two [illegible] Westmoreland district. Will [illegible] PHONE [illegible]

[illegible] FURNISHED [illegible] without board [illegible] WALTON AVE.

TO LET—3 TO 6 MONTHS, A WELL [illegible] 7-room house with large [illegible] LENOX AVE. Tel. [illegible]

[illegible] AND BOARD [illegible] furnished, furnace [illegible] o'clock dinner [illegible] Coronado [illegible]

TO LET—COMPLETELY FURNISHED 10-[illegible] elegant location, West [illegible]

[illegible] WESTLAKE ROOMS [illegible] open grate [illegible] RAMPART [illegible]

TO LET—[illegible] FURNISHED HALF COT-[illegible] electric lights, walking dis-[illegible] ST.

[illegible] WITH OWN [illegible] convalescent [illegible] PHONE [illegible]

TO LET—[illegible] BUNGALOW, HIGH [illegible] view, well furnished [illegible] ST. Phone 55009.

[illegible] NEW HIGHLAND PARK [illegible] furnished or unfurnished. [illegible] GARVANZA [illegible]

TO LET—[illegible] FURNISHED [illegible] board, in private [illegible]

TO LET—A PERFECTLY CLEAN, WELL [illegible] 4-room bungalow, lawn and [illegible] BLVD.

[illegible] ROOM WITH [illegible] excellent table [illegible]

TO LET—[illegible] NEWLY FURNISHED HALF [illegible] electric lights; walking dis-[illegible]

[illegible] SUNNY ROOMS [illegible] home [illegible] PHONE [illegible]

TO LET—[illegible] 8-ROOM HOUSE; 3 [illegible] W. 29TH.

[illegible] WITH OWN [illegible] of convalescent [illegible] persons [illegible] PHONE [illegible]

[illegible] PRIVATE HOME [illegible]

TO LET—[illegible] 5-ROOM BUNGA-[illegible] WELCOME ST.

[illegible] FRONT [illegible] cooking [illegible]

TO LET—[illegible] FURNISHED MODERN [illegible] WEST 57TH ST.

TO LET—[illegible] COTTAGE, THREE [illegible] 22ND ST.

[illegible] ALAMO [illegible] LAKE AVE.

TO LET—[illegible] 5-ROOM HOUSE, [illegible] ST.

TO LET—Furnished Houses.

TO LET — FURNISHED COMPLETE, 8-room, 2-story; oak and mahogany furniture throughout; 4 large sleeping-rooms; silk floss mattresses on every bed; there is plenty of linen; furnace heat and new piano; in fact, furnished throughout for a home; am going away for one year and would like to rent to reliable party; won't lease less than 6 months; rent $85 per month. The house can be seen any time between 1 and 4 p.m. Take Pico car or W. 11th to 1227 MAGNOLIA AVE.

TO LET—FURNISHED, HOME OF EIGHT rooms in the most select residence place in the city. Never offered for rent before, but desire to lease for one year. Beautifully furnished with oriental rugs and best of furniture, linen and silver. Four bedrooms. Garage for one machine. Location, Third ave., north of Pico. References required if renter is not known to owner. Rent $150 per month. Phone OWNER, Home 72823.

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TO LET—$100 MONTHLY; RICHLY FURnished bungalow, lined throughout with quarter-sawed oak, hardwood floors, immense fireplace, built-in beds, etc. Beautifully situated in the midst of private park, within walking distance, on high ground. See MR. GRIDLEY, Manager Golden Apartments, 1130 W. 7th st.

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I have a very neat little bungalow of five rooms that I will sell you for $1975 on very easy terms. All new and modern, cement porch and walks. Come in and see me. I know I can suit you. You can afford to buy at this price. F. W. BLAKE, 322 P. E. Bldg., Sixth and Main, third floor. F6101, Main 1371.

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FOR SALE—Houses.

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Balance like rent.
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OVERLOOKING
MAGNIFICENT HUNTINGTON DRIVE.
Hillside Lot $850.
$25 cash and $10 a month.

This is a magnificent building lot at beautiful Sierra Park, just midway between Pasadena and Los Angeles, 20 minutes from downtown, superb site for a home. Cement sidewalks, gas, electricity and water. You must act quick.
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JANSS INVESTMENT COMPANY,
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BERKELEY SQUARE RESIDENCE.
Large white cement house, 12 rooms and 2 large sleeping porches with wall beds, 5 bedrooms and 2 baths and shower upstairs, all finished in white enamel. Large dining-room and double parlors finished in mahogany. Hall and stairway finished in oak. Breakfast-room finished in white enamel. Hardwood floors throughout. Servant's room and bath off of back porch. Large garage for 2 machines, also laundry and store-room, 2 rooms and bath upstairs. Lot 100x250 ft. to 20-ft. alley. Furnace. Large lawn. Pergola with fountain, cement walks, palms, trees, ferns and flowers in rear. Also poultry yard and houses. Price $65,000. See owner, 514 LAUGHLIN BLDG.

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A CHRISTMAS GIFT.
Bungalow Lot, price $675.

What could be more appropriate for a gift than this bargain? Think of a beautiful bungalow lot, with all improvements in and paid for, within one-half block of W. Adams car line; I will sell at original cost. $675; have paid $100, which I must have in cash, balance can be paid $10 per month. This lot is worth $800, and will easily be worth $1000 within a year.
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MUST BE SOLD.
A BEAUTIFUL HOME at half its value. A fine nine-room, story and a half, Swiss chalet, finely located in the west. Has all modern conveniences, strictly up-to-date. This is a one chance of a lifetime to own a good home at little cost. Only $1000 cash.
Let us show it to you.
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230 S. Hill st. Main 3624.

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Choice big lot, ideal to build on, in the select built-up Wilshire-Harvard Heights district, located on Irolo near Ninth street. Terms, ½ cash, balance in 1 and 2 years.
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Broadway at Eighth. Main 2268.

FOR SALE—OWNER HAS SEVERAL 50x150 lots, high ground, restricted tract, splendid location. Will sell for $20 down and $10 or more per month, with agreement to draw up plans to suit and build at any time after you have accumulated a reasonable equity. S. L. HICKMAN, 216 American Bank Bldg., northeast corner Second and Spring. Broadway 2092. A5408.

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$2000 for a $2800 lot, actual value; 50-ft. front, street work, sewer, highly restricted, close to paved street and car.
Pays to deal with RUNKLE.
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FOR SALE—
PUBLIC NOTICE.
All lots in ARLINGTON SQUARE ANNEX will be advanced in price $100 on January 15. Lots now $750 up, $10 a month. For home or business.
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The ideal place for your home, between city and sea. Free trips, 9:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. daily from our office. CONSERVATIVE INVESTMENT CO., 408 W. Sixth st. Main 2043; A3943.

FOR SALE—HOLLYWOOD WAY, 1¼ ACRES, good soil, lays fine, at price of country property; you can buy this for cash at $1800 per acre, close to Sunset Blvd., unquestionably the best buy in Los Angeles. A. L. THOMPSON, 6360 Sunset Blvd.

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FOR SALE—$1300 EACH; WE ARE AUTHORized by non-resident to sell two swell lots on Seventh ave. near 23d st., at this exceptionally low price. BARTELS & SCHWARZ, suite 404, Douglas Bldg.

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FOR SALE—LOT NEAR CORNER OF BERendo and Ave. East 25. Price $1000; terms, $100 down and balance $20 per month. See Owner, 335 MASON BLDG., 4th and Bdway.

FOR SALE—LOT 50x142½, FIFTEEN FOOT alley, Trinity street, facing east, near Santa Barbara ave., $1500 cash. Call 153½ N. BEAUDRY AVE.

FOR SALE — $2650, CLOSE IN, SNAP ON Burlington near Sixth, 50x161 to alley, only 12 minutes' walk to business center. BAIERSKI, 303 Bryson Bldg.

FOR SALE—2 MAGNIFICENT LOTS ON Hollywood Blvd. See W. W. VICKREY, with O. A. VICKREY & CO., 308 S. Hill st. Main 2670; A4753.

FOR SALE—RESIDENCE LOT IN BEAUTIful Arlington Park, 25th Place and Arlington; 55-ft. frontage, large alley; fine building restrictions. Owner, HOME PHONE 74105.

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FOR SALE—BARGAIN FOR FEW DAYS, fine group of 9 lots, Glendale, easy terms. Address K, box 47, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—2 FINE LOTS, 50x130, NEAR beautiful Ramona Park, $550 each, $250 down, $10 per month. MAIN 1939.

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FOR SALE — TWO LOTS ON 43RD ST., near South Park ave., $1200 cash; mortgage $1000. Inquire 267 E. 47TH PLACE.

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE — SELECT YOUR PALMYRA Heights lot today at pre-opening price, $600 and up. Let us show you. CONSERVATIVE INVESTMENT COMPANY, 408 W. 6th st. Main 2043; A3943.

FOR SALE—BARGAINS FOR APTS.
West Ninth street, 50x135 ....$4000
West 11th near Beacon, 50x130, house......$5000
Winfield street near Union ave., 50x125..$4500
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FOR SALE—SOUTH OLIVE STREET, NEAR 38th, 55x150; new, modern flats, income $100 per month. Price $8500; 14 per cent. income, in path of rapid advance. S. W. BUELL, 203 Laughlin Bldg. A1221.

FOR SALE—$1500 UNDER VALUE. THREE fine lots on Crenshaw Blvd., near Wilshire Blvd. Beautiful view of mountains, on very high ground. Phone WEST 2236; 72281.

FOR SALE—LOOK AROUND MILLS AND make offer for two lots near there at Wilmington, worth $800, but need cash. OWNER, F8503, B2094.

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"Watch L. A. to Venice acreage go to $5000."

Keep your eye on these snaps.

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28 acres	at	$2200,	terms.
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And many more.
We refer you to our past customers as to our square dealing methods.
Phone for one of our autos. It will call and take you on a trip of inspection.
Send for map. Call, phone or write today for big free map of Los Angeles to Venice district.

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F7477. Main 5045.
"Watch Los Angeles-Venice acreage go to $5000."

FOR SALE — I HAVE 1400 ACRES OF choice citrus fruit land, no better soil to be found, with abundance of water sufficient for the entire tract. Well located, on the railroad; also on one of the good roads, less than thirty miles from Los Angeles, one hour's ride. Price only $125 per acre; terms. Will sell as a whole or would like to have two or three good parties join in subdividing. Want to deal direct with the parties themselves. Address C, box 457, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—TWENTY ACRES, LOCATED in the famous Palisades district, Santa Monica, surrounded by fast-selling and rapidly improving subdivisions; many new fine homes being built on adjoining properties; now ripe for the retail market; this is an opportunity for you to double your money within two years. For further particulars see DAVIS, 514 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—LAST LARGE TRACT TO BE had reasonable; out Washington way; only $1500; this is awfully cheap and ready to subdivide.
WILL C. PRATHER, Sole Agent.
327 Story Bldg.

FOR SALE—
The last and finest acreage in the west part of the city, on high ground; can be divided, without waste into 140 perfect lots, which will easily bring $2500 to $4000 each.
See HARRY M. BOYNTON,
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With Los Angeles Conservative Inv. Co.

FOR SALE—BIGGEST SNAP IN LOS ANgeles, 7½ acres on a corner, close to Vermont ave. car, south. Ready to subdivide now. I can deliver this away under value. It's choice stuff. At a big sacrifice. Act fast. J. H. HARRISON, 452 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR SALE—BEST BUY ON WASHINGTON blvd. 16 acres close to city, and three car lines, at a big bargain. January 1st advances $250 per acre.
WILL C. PRATHER, Sole Agent.
327 Story Bldg.

FOR SALE—GENUINE BARGAIN; EIGHTeen acres this side of Manchester; paved street, best terms; best subdivision in Los Angeles. 222 CENTRAL BLDG.

FOR SALE—5 ACRES OUT WASHINGTON blvd. way, and high, good view; only $1400, and dreadfully cheap.
WILL C. PRATHER, Sole Agent.
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FOR SALE— Business Property.

FOR SALE—$9000; BETWEEN SIXTH AND Seventh, near Valencia st.; lot 50x135, valued at $7500; improved with handsome 9-room residence, that cost to build $5400 two years ago; has oak floors, white bedrooms, all built-in features, cement basement, furnace, hot water heater and fine garage; this property located in the center of the Westlake apartment district, is offered several thousand dollars under its real value; if you are looking to the future, investigate. $3500 cash required.
WILKIE COLLINS,
Bdwy. 63. 601 Trust & Savings Bldg. 60068.

FOR SALE—INVESTORS, ATTENTION.
A centrally located business corner lot, 50 x100; within 300 feet of the U. S. Grant Hotel, San Diego; pays at present 7 per cent. net on price asked, $100,000; with one-story building. For full particulars address WANKOWSKI-OSBORN CO., San Diego, Cal.

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FOR SALE—WEST WASHINGTON STREET, 52 feet frontage, $5000. Investment bargain, worth $15,000 by 1915. Adjoins 15 stores. Price after Jan. 1, $6000. COLE, owner, 484 California st.

FOR SALE—100-FT. CORNER ON SUNSET blvd., only $3500; fine location for store or apartment, a snap; YOUNGBLOOD, 517 W. Sixth st. F2160.

FOR SALE— Income Property.

FOR SALE—

A FIVE-ACRE ORCHARD.

SNAP. SNAP. SNAP.

We are offering for sale a newly-planted five-acre orange orchard with improvements that include a four-room bungalow, with running water, electric lights, telephone service and ample water for irrigating for $2950.

SMALL FIRST PAYMENT UNDER A 10-YEAR CONTRACT.

This ideal country home is located in an unexcelled fruit belt and is within 1000 feet of a town, affording splendid educational advantages. It is within easy walking distance of MAIN LINE RAILROAD TRANSPORTATION.
If you are looking for a bargain in orchard real estate call, write or phone the office of the

GIBRALTAR INVESTMENT AND HOME BUILDING COMPANY,
Isaiah Martin, President.
Home 10317. 142 South Spring st. Main 9152.

FOR SALE—5 FLATS OF 4 ROOMS AND bath, each; 4 furnished; buyer to make 14 per cent. on investment. Address 120½ N. PECAN.

FOR SALE— Suburban Property.

FOR SALE—LOOK AT THIS. HOW DOES 5 acres, 30 minutes from city, with plenty water, appeal to you for poultry, alfalfa, garden, etc.? I have it and can show you. On your own terms. A. L. KING, 814 H. W. Hellman Bldg. Main 116, Home A5372.

FOR SALE — 60 ACRES, FINE SOIL, boulevard front, near car line, close to Los Angeles; free water, five-room house, small barn, stock, feed, implements, etc. $10,000; $2000 down, balance time. F. B. BAER, 335 Consolidated Realty Bldg. Phones.

FOR SALE—ONE ACRE, SOUTHWEST; double 240 feet frontage; sandy loam soil, water piped, will have gas and electricity soon; price only $650; small payment down, $15 month. Address C, box 541, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—3 ACRES OUT WASHINGTON-Venice way. Owner. Two boulevards. Only $1500. Worth double. Fine homesite. WILL C. PRATHER, Sole Agent, 327 Story Bldg.

FOR SALE— Suburban Property.

FOR SALE—

RAMONA ACRES.
Adjoining
Finest Suburban Sites.
ACRES COVERED WITH WALNUTS.

Get away from the dusty, crowded city. Acres for less than city lots. Magnificent view of orange groves and mountains. Chickens will furnish a nice income on the side. Start now. Own a home midst walnuts and oranges. Easy prices and easiest of terms. 25 minutes from downtown. Come to office for free transportation.

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Home 10345. Broadway 2468.

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BROADWAY 2525. F7289.

FOR SALE—

Adjoining
BEAUTIFUL RAMONA ACRES.
ACRE $700.
$50 cash and $10 a month.

Why stay cooped up in the crowded city? Buy this acre and buy some chickens, then watch the profits come in. On Garfield avenue close to car line; graded streets. Only 20 minutes from First and Main st. It will go quick.

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611-13 South Hill st.
Home 10345. Broadway 2468.

FOR SALE—
YOU CAN BE
INDEPENDENT
ON THIS 5 ACRES.
5 acres on new County Boulevard, close to Ramona Park. Set solid to 7-year-old walnuts; mellow loam soil, deep and rich. Abundance of water piped over property and under pressure. Cheapest water in San Gabriel Valley. Close to car line and 20 minutes to city. Fine improved surroundings. Adjoining land held at $1000 per acre. Close to beautiful new subdivision where lots 50x150 are selling for $1200 each. This is an absolute bargain. Will sell for
$850 Per Acre.
1-4 cash, balance 1, 2, 3 years at 6 per cent.
We have a large list of acreage, improved or unimproved, from one acre up, on easy terms. For furthern information see
EDWARD D. ZEHNER,
CALIFORNIA REALTY CORPORATION,
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353 South Hill st.
Phones—Home 60236, Main 2868.

FOR SALE—

$700 PER ACRE.

SET TO WALNUTS, PEACHES, APRICOTS.

Just coming into bearing; fronting on Sherman Way, the new $500,000 boulevard on the Pacific Electric line to Van Nuys-Lankershim lands.

ROSS E. WHITLEY,
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FOR SALE—$2500, I MUST RAISE SOME money before January 1 and will sell five acres southwest, $300 per acre under the price of any other land in that vicinity; this land is only three miles from city limits, lays level, has 90 feet of subsoil, with plenty irrigating water, and is offered at big bargain, $1000 cash required for first payment, balance easy. Address C. box 540, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE — BARGAIN, 2-ACRE FOOThill ranch, set solid to eight-year-old walnuts; small house and barn; abundant mountain water; ten minutes' walk to car; 5-cent fare; close to subdivisions; healthful elevation; take clear lot as part payment; no better investment; price $3500; easy terms.
WESTERVELT, 655 Pacific Electric Bldg. Phones: Main 5161. F5161.

FOR SALE—

THE BEST BUY
—AT—
BEAUTIFUL RAMONA ACRES.
Dandy acre, ideal for a suburban home. Short walk from electric car line; 15 minutes from downtown. Graded and oiled streets, gas and electricity. Short distance from new "Midwick" Country Club.
You must act quick. Only one left. $1450—$300 cash and $10 a month.

JANSS INVESTMENT COMPANY,
611-13 South Hill st.
Home 10345. Broadway 2468.

FOR SALE—40 ACRES, LANKERSHIM, $250 per acre; has a deeded water right, a good sandy loam soil, suitable for citrus and deciduous fruits, about 2 miles from new town of Mulholland, also near boulevard and station. This land is unimproved, and improved adjoining land worth $400 and up per acre. Must be seen to be appreciated.
PATTON & LONGLEY CO.,
330 S. Hill st.
A2318; Main 6278.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN; BIG LOTS, 100x180 to 20-ft. alley; only $25 down, $10 per month, beautiful improvements, streets, sidewalks, curbs, ornamental trees, water, gas, electricity and telephone; going fast, you'll have to hurry.
C. F. ELLIS, 432 Chamber Commerce Bldg. Phone Broadway 333.

FOR SALE—½ ACRE HOME, NEAR CAR line, in Hawthorne, new 4-room house, would make fine chicken ranch. Owner MUST SELL. $800 gets it this week, $200 cash, balance easy. We will show you this place today. GARTON & TORIAN, 211 Laughlin Bldg. Tel. Broadway 3448.

FOR SALE—AT HALF PRICE, FOR SHORT time, 22½ level acres, 4 miles southwest of Los Angeles city limits, near trolley line, plenty water for irrigation, free. This will go at a real bargain. Address C, box 405, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE — 20 ACRES OF THE FINEST ALFALFA LAND in the whole of Southern California. Water enough to turn it into a DUCK POND if necessary. Price right and on your own terms. Let me show you. C. L. KING, 814 H. W. Hellman Bldg. Main 116. A5372.

FOR SALE—4 ACRES AT INGLEWOOD Rancho, beautiful site; must close out, $750 per acre. See P. J. LEAVER, owner, 517 Higgins Bldg. 60304; Main 898.

Alhambra.

FOR SALE—MASTERPIECE, NEW, ARtistic 6-room bungalow, most beautiful location in Alhambra; large cement porch; handsome living-room fitted with massive fireplace; dining-room with buffet and all built-in effects; hardwood floors, two bedrooms and breakfast-room; large closets; kitchen complete with heater; built-in cabinet drawers, and all latest conveniences; lawn, oranges and garage, ornamental lamps in parkway. Price $4500; easy terms, same as rent.
WESTERVELT, 655 Pacific Electric Bldg. Phones. Main 5161. F5161.

Monte Vista.

FOR SALE — FOOTHILL RANCH HOME, overlooking beautiful Monte Vista Valley, north of city, frostless lemon land, pure mountain water; elevation 1500 feet. MILLER, 527 Bixel. Phone 53409.

Glendale.

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN. MUST BE seen to be appreciated, five-room Swiss chalet just completed, all modern and up to date; $3000 will take it if taken at once, on terms. Located on Seventh st., between Central and Columbus ave., Glendale. GLENDALE 793R.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, NEW, ATTRACtive 5-room Swiss chalet, with garage, on extra deep lot in most desirable part of Glendale, two blocks Pacific Electric. Further particulars on inquiry. No agents. Address K, box 8, TIMES OFFICE.

Ramona Acres.

TO LET — RAMONA ACRES, FURNISHED or unfurnished; one acre with California house, 5 rooms; gas, bath, electricity; fine for chickens and cow. PHONE F2417.

PASADENA—

FOR SALE—MODERN 9-ROOM HOUSE, 5 bedrooms, 2 baths, hardwood floors, downstairs; large garage, fine grounds, excellent location, close to schools, on local and Los Angeles (via Oak Knoll) car lines. $7500. Terms. 334 S. LAKE ST., Pasadena. Home 1813.

FOR SALE—CLEAR LOT 50x150 FEET, N..... Lake ave., Pasadena, worth $1200; will take $1000 cash. P. J. LEAVER, owner, 517 Higgins Bldg. 60304; Main 898.

HOLLYWOOD—

FOR SALE—HOLLYWOOD PROPERTY. SEE photos, ask for free maps, folders, street guides and information. C. H. LIPPINCOTT & CO., 611 Fay Bldg., Third and Hill, L. A., or C. N. CLINCH, Hollywood Blvd. and Cahuenga, opposite De Longpre's (east).

FOR SALE—2 LOTS IN WEST HOLLYWOOD just off Hollywood Blvd., $3000 restrictions; will sell at $750 each as I want the money to finance an invention which I am getting patented; will take half cash. Inquire 119 E. 7TH ST. F3267.

FOR SALE—FOR MODEST AND PRETENtious homes see DR. SCHLOESSER, Owner 6378 Hollywood blvd. Home 57279.

FOR SALE— Beach Property.

FOR SALE, EXCHANGE OR LEASE—A good 60-ft. lot close in, at Venice, $3000, $2800 down, balance easy. Exchange for income or vacant clear. F. B. BAER CO., 335 Consolidated Realty Bldg.

Santa Monica.

FOR SALE — JUST COMPLETED, BEAUTIFUL 7-ROOM 2-STORY HOME, WITH SPANISH TILE ROOFING, METAL LATH AND CONCRETE, HARDWOOD FLOORS AND BEAUTIFUL VERANDAS, FINEST OF PLUMBING, ON CORNER LOT 50x150, FACING OCEAN, IN HEART OF PALISADES, WILL BE SOLD FOR $6500 ON THE MOST REASONABLE TERMS. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION AND INSPECTION OF SAME SEE JAMES M. HARDMAN, NO. 4 TROLLEYWAY, OCEAN PARK BANK BLDG., OCEAN PARK, CAL.

Long Beach.

WANTED—LONG BEACH HOME TO $5000 IN exchange Pasadena residence. JOY T. HUTTON, 841 E. Colorado st., Pasadena.

Venice and Ocean Park.

FOR SALE — APARTMENT-HOUSE SITE; good corner, 37.6x101.6; 5-room cottage on rear, cheap, $4500. I can offer good investments in income property, cottages, bungalows and business property. Call and investigate. SCHWEINHARD, 3007 Trolleyway, P. E. depot, Ocean Park, Cal.

FOR SALE—OR LEASE, 25 TO 100 FT. ON Windward ave., Venice, Cal., also 60 ft. on Rose ave., worth $9000, for $5700; $2700 cash, 2000, 2 years, also 45 ft., Venice annex lot, for $450. See ALLEN & IRWIN, 1507 Trolley Way, Venice, Cal.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, A 30 FT. LOT on Ozone st. Improved with 5-room furnished cottage, right where values are advancing every day, but I need money, so must sell. Address FRANK K. WATKINS, 18 N. Almansor st., Alhambra.

FOR SALE— Harbor Property.

FOR SALE—AT LOS ANGELES HARBOR, (Wilmington,) government now dredging in West Basin, boulevard just being completed, have choicest close in boulevard corner below Third street, 115 feet frontage; your opportunity is here, I want money. Address Owner, D, box 348, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

San Pedro.

FOR SALE—LOT ON PACIFIC AVE., AT A bargain if taken at once. HOME PHONE 74500.

Wilmington.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—CORNER AT 5th and Broadway, Wilmington, size 100x 165, ½ block from City Hall, price $5000, clear; what have you to offer in exchange? CHAS. C. PORTER, 1104-5 L. A. Investment Bldg. F4204.

FOR SALE—TWO LOTS IN WILMINGTON, on Seventh street, one on Main and one near Seventh st. station on Pacific Electric. $1000 cash; value $2300. Quick sale. Address K, box 48, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—SACRIFICE, TWO LOTS NEAR Mill Co. wharf. Make offer. OWNER, F8503; B2094.

FOR SALE— Country Property.

FOR SALE—ORANGE LANDS.
LEMON LANDS.
FOOTHILLS.
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.
CHEAP WATER.
ONLY $30 ACRE.
Only 52 miles from Los Angeles and it is east and in a citrus section. Owner says sell and will accept $10,000 cash, $10,000 in a first-class home in S.W. Los Angeles, balance terms; this is a snap; this tract comprises 400 acres; get busy; usual courtesy to all real estate agents for few days. E. A. MORGAN, room 19, State Bank Bldg., Pomona, Cal.

FOR SALE—40, 80, 160, OR MORE ACRES fine alfalfa land, located close to town, in Tulare county, absolutely all level, rich silt, sub-irrigated land, the ideal alfalfa soil; there is no question about the development of abundance of cheap water, for any and all purposes. This is so close to town that it is ripe to subdivide in small acreage, a can deliver for a short time at $90 per acre, easy terms, would consider clear city property as part exchange.
POTTER & MILLER,
504 L. A. Inv. Bldg., Broadway and Eighth.
Main 6572; F1500.

FOR SALE—
Stop and think what improved citrus land is worth today and what you could have bought it for a few years ago, then figure what you can make on 650 acres of fine citrus land in Cathey's Valley, the coming Citrus Belt, 400 acres under plow. A profitable and prosperous stock ranch. Only $35 per acre (no trade.)
MERCED-MARIPOSA LAND CO.,
Planada, Cal.

FOR SALE—$23 PER ACRE—
480 acres, part alfalfa and part citrus land, San Diego county; red sandy loam soil, creek runs through property that has 50 to 200 inches of water for irrigation; come to our office and see photographs of the biggest bargain in California. GILCHRIST INVESTMENT CO., 345 Bradbury Bldg. Phones: Main 2395. F6225.

FOR SALE—640 ACRES IN ANTELOPE Valley, near Lancaster, $20 per acre; 160 acres northwest Lancaster, $4 per acre, 160 acres, 2 wells, 220 inches water, 6-room house, small cottage, barn, 6 acres assorted fruit, 42 acres alfalfa, 30 ready to seed, $30,000; small payment, long time, on balance. L. S. McKINNEY & CO., 241 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—10 ACRES, FRUITS, GOOD INcome; boulevards, car lines; beautiful home site, $18,000; also 2 to 6 acres, fine location, best soil, near car lines and boulevard, planted young oranges, $950 per acre; also 10 acres best full-bearing walnut grove in El Monte district, $10,500. WRIGHT, KINGSLEY & COMPANY, 42 N. Raymond, Pasadena.

FOR SALE—10 ACRES OF ABSOLUTELY the best WALNUT LAND in Southern California. Plenty water, good transporation facilities, 16 miles from city. Can be had on your own terms. Let me show you. L. N. CLEVELAND, 814 H. W. Hellman Bldg. A5372, Main 116.

FOR SALE — HARD PRESSED, FORCED to sell, ideal Feather River ranch, 400 acres, deep alluvial soil; level, adapted to alfalfa, garden truck and orchard; no irrigation necessary; just outside the city of Marysville, $75 per acre. Address box 241, Marysville, Cal.

FOR SALE—AT REDLANDS, ONLY $250 per acre, ideal orange, alfalfa or garden proposition, situated in a choice grove section, plenty of water for any purpose, big supply recently secured, rich loam soil, snap. See SELOVER & WHIPPLE, 211 South Hill st. Main 1273; Home 60195.

FOR SALE — FOOTHILL SECTION northeast Pasadena, 3 or 5 acres, covered with vines and trees, car line, electricity, water and telephone conveniences. Snap. WHIPPLE, 211 S. Hill st. Main 1273. Home 60195.

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE—RIALTO-Fontana, 80 acres; 65 in finest vineyard; $125 acre, cash, some exchange, easy terms on balance; also a 20 and 40-acre tract, $65 and $85; 40 uncleared, $40. Call anytime up to 7 p.m. OWNER,
406 BRYSON BLOCK.

FOR SALE—45 ACRES, TWO MILES EAST of Newhall, adjoins Los Angeles Aqueduct. Improved with modern house, large barn. Investigate this. Address K, box 37, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—40 ACRES ALFALFA LAND, 1½ miles from railroad. Abundance of water, title clear, cheap for cash. Address owner, K, box 13, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—5 ACRES NEAR LOS ANGELES will make you rich. Best soil, water, location and price, $1000 down. STACY REALTY CO., 401 Fay Bldg.

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE — 80-ACRE ranch, 23 in peach trees, Oregon, for lots or ranch, near, $10,000. R. H. ELLSWORTH, with Bowen Realty Exchange, 210 Story Bldg.

FOR SALE—10-ACRE RANCH, NEAR Huntington Beach, six-room house, barn. Fine flowing well. $4250. Terms. Address FRANK BARNER, Huntington Beach, Cal.

FOR SALE—GARDEN GROVE 10 ACRES, FINE SOIL, PUMPING PLANT, $4000. WORTH $5000. M. T. TUNGATE (OWNER,) 246 Broadway. Main 2543. Home 60167.

FOR SALE — ½ ACRE, IMPROVED, FOR $100 down and $10 monthly. Will take motorcycle as first payment. G. P. GUITTEAU, Box 28, Inglewood.

FOR SALE—A SNAP; $7000 CASH, EASY terms; 20 acres peaches, 20 acres grapes; 25 acres alfalfa, exceptionally good soil; unlimited water. Address box 411, MADERA, Cal.

FOR SALE—A FINE PRODUCING 20-ACRE fruit and alfalfa ranch with cheap water at Hemet, Cal. Address E. H. BROTHERTON, 430 North Beaudry ave., city.

FOR SALE— Country Property.

FOR SALE—

A FIVE-ACRE ORCHARD.

SNAP. SNAP. SNAP.

We are offering for sale a newly-planted five-acre orange orchard with improvements that include a four-room bungalow, with running water, electric lights, telephone service and ample water for irrigating for $2950.

SMALL FIRST PAYMENT UNDER A 10-YEAR CONTRACT.

This ideal country home is located in an unexcelled fruit belt and is within 1000 feet of a town, affording splendid educational advantages. It is within easy walking distance of MAIN LINE RAILROAD TRANSPORTATION.
If you are looking for a bargain in orchard real estate call, write or phone the office of the

GIBRALTAR INVESTMENT AND HOME BUILDING COMPANY,
Isaiah Martin, President.
Home 10317. 142 South Spring st. Main 9152.

FOR SALE—

We have a snap for investment or home. 80 acres in San Fernando Valley, one mile from San Fernando.
This tract must be sold at once, in order to close an estate.
Price only $135 per acre. Adjoining land cannot be purchased for double the price.
For particulars see

STERN REALTY COMPANY,
404 Pacific Electric Bldg.
Los Angeles,
or
G. G. GREENWOOD,
Hollywood National Bank.
HOLLYWOOD.

FOR SALE—

$25 PER ACRE AND UP.
TERMS TO SUIT THE INVESTOR.
SAN FERNANDO MISSION LANDS.

With abundance of water, also orange and lemon groves in bearing. No mistake made in selecting of these superior lands. Prices and terms are made to suit. You should secure one or more tracts NOW and be independent of the future.
These lands, of course, are selling fast and will double in value almost each year. First come, first served. Automobile service.

CUNNINGHAM REALTY COMPANY, INC.
60193. 714 Central Bldg. Bdwy 1982.

FOR SALE—WE OWN 1280-ACRE RANCH in Tulare county, three miles from town, will sell for much lower price than that at which surrounding lands with like improvements can be bought; 8-room modern house, barn room for 60 cows and 30 horses, machinery, sheds, blacksmith shop, separator house, three bunkhouses, and other buildings; two splendid artesian wells, one having pumping plant with electric motor; one newly dug well. Electric lights in all principal buildings. More than 100 acres in alfalfa, some grapes. A few hundred fig, apricot and other trees. Miles of hog-tight fence. Will sell live stock with ranch. Exceptionally easy terms. See owners at 618 TRUST & SAVINGS BLDG. Phone F5551.

FOR SALE—
160 acres San Diego county. Perfect alfalfa land, 20 acres now planted. This is all bottom land, with an abundance of water for irrigation; all arranged for dairy, with large barn, granary and stanchions, has large 7-room house, all is good condition; all improvements, cattle, horses, hogs, bees, farm tools and implements go with the place. This is the best buy in Southern California; has ideal climate and is worth double the present price. Price $125 per acre. Terms.
PATTON, LONGLEY CO.,
330 S. Hill st.
A2318. Main 6278.

FOR SALE—ORCHARD TRACT, 53 MILES southeast Salt Lake City, on two railroads, near two thriving towns; elevation 4725 feet. In Canyon Breeze Belt; absolutely no frost, soil sandy loam, varying from six to twenty feet, contains 75 acres, highly improved; well stocked with necessary implements, etc.; 25 acres alfalfa, 10 acres in grain, 3800 peaches, 2200 cherries, 1100 apples, 150 prunes; abundance water; price only $20,000; terms part cash, more complete description and fill information by calling on manager HOTEL VICTORIA, Seventh and Hope sts., Los Angeles, Cal.

FOR SALE—SAN DIEGO COUNTY BARGAINS. 320 acres (part or all,) orchard, vineyard, alfalfa, buildings, implements, pumping plant, 4 horses; 40 hogs; grain, hay; splendid land, nearly level; near Lakeside; only $60 per acre.
$8500—170 acres, near San Marcos, water near surface; some alfalfa land, some frostless lemon land; about 300 acres, FREE mountain pasture land; 2-story house; outbuildings; implements, $400 team, etc.; consider city or suburban (store property preferred) to $4500.
WM. J. WELSHANS, 2537 E. Third st. Boyle 827.

FOR SALE — I HAVE 1400 ACRES OF choice citrus fruit land, no better soil to be found, with abundance of water sufficient for the entire tract. Well located, on the railroad; also on one of the good roads, less than thirty miles from Los Angeles, one hour's ride. Price only $125 per acre; terms. Will sell as a whole or would like to have two or three good parties join in subdividing. Want to deal direct with the parties themselves. Address C, box 457, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—BIG RANCH, ALL LEVEL land. Why pay northern California land prices when you can buy better land at less acreage price right here in Southern California? Where climate, soil, water, transportation and other conditions are ideal, and where most people prefer to live? If looking for big income general farming ranch now ripe for small farm subdivision, adjoining good town, you should learn about this property. Address owners, K, box 2, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—THERE'S MONEY IN THIS—
An orange grove that will net you $10,000 per year and maybe more. A fine place, on boulevard, half hour ride from center of city, good house, plenty water. The property can be bought for $55,000 and will have extra large crop this year. Has netted as high as $13,000. Call on us for details. STEINBERG & HOOD, 821 Central Bldg. Phones—A2845, Main 593.

FOR SALE—1000 ACRES, $20 PER ACRE, ABsolutely the best alfalfa, grain and stock ranch in all California; close to railroad, short ride from Los Angeles, same climate, fine buildings, A1 soil, producing family orchard, abundance free gravity water, part level for alfalfa, part suitable for grain, no waste; fenced and cross-fenced into hog-tight fields; unlimited free range adjoining. Owner retiring. This is your opportunity. N. SPURLOCK & CO., 222 Central Bldg.

FOR SALE—
42 acres choice chocolate loam soil, 1½ miles from Orosi, in Tulare county. Soil suited to oranges, peaches, grapes, alfalfa, berries, melons. Price $6000, one-fourth cash, balance in 1918. Might divide.
W. N. McKEE,
425 Title Insurance Bldg.

FOR SALE—THIS AD. WILL DEMONstrate whether the bottom is out of the realty market. Here are three acres, highly improved, most substantial buildings, plenty water; for sale at the cost of improvements. Inglewood way. Agents boost and collect commission. Must leave the State. Address LIBBEY BURNS, Inglewood.

FOR SALE—I HAVE 20 ACRES OF GOOD sandy loam soil, no hardpan or alkali, plenty of cheap water. I will sell this to you for small payment down and plenty of time to pay balance at 6 per cent., or I will take house and lot in exchange as part payment. Price $7000. Inquire MR. HAWKINS, with Albert Gluck, 312 Story Bldg. A5456; Broadway 678.

FOR SALE—
320 acres fruit and farming land; close to railroad; running water; cropped to grain; $55 per acre.
60 acres well located fruit and truck land. A snap at $65 per acre.
J. G. FITZGERALD,
Phone 72394. 1203 Berendo st.

FOR SALE—ALFALFA AND FRUIT LAND adjoining city limits of one of the largest towns in San Joaquin Valley. Fine for olives, orchard, alfalfa or dairying. Land plowed and leveled. Perpetual water right from one of the largest irrigating systems in California. $150 per acre; easy terms. Address K, box 27, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—3000 ACRES—
ALFALFA LAND.
PLENTY WATER.
CLOSE TO TRANSPORTATION.
$50 PER ACRE.
Address K, box 26, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—$100,000, EASY TERMS, FOR 25,000-acre stock range, with plenty good feed and water, Northern California; big bargain. See THE McCARTHY COMPANY about it, 201 N. Broadway, or 215 Title Trust Bldg.

FOR SALE—160 ACRES IN MADERA CO., A-1 orange or olive land; oranges do not freeze; plenty of water to be had for pumping plant; price $30 per acre. Address W. P. LOCKE, Raymond, Cal., Madera Co.

FOR SALE—IMPROVED 20 ACRES ALFALfa, dairy, chickens; $4500; may take part trade. SHIRK, Alpaugh, Cal.

FOR SALE— Country Property.

FOR SALE—

FOOTHILL CITRUS LAND.

FOR SUBDIVISION.

Four sections choice frostless foothill citrus land, ready for instant subdivision at large profit. Finest soil, perfect drainage, above frost, ample water, on railroad and boulevard, near established citrus center, in Southern California. Price $85 an acre. Will divide or accept $5000 syndicate subscriptions. Remarkable money-making opportunity.

IRVINE W. BIGGAR,
507 Union Oil Bldg.
Main 1989.

FOR SALE—
SAN DIEGO COUNTY CITRUS LANDS
FOR SUBDIVISION
with water available are not plentiful.
We have three parcels for sale now that are bargains, and will bear inspection. These lands will be delivered on reasonable terms if taken soon.
1000 acres, on railroad, at $60 per acre.
825 acres, on railroad, at $50 per acre.
520 acres, near railroad, at $75 per acre.
We will deal only with principals or their authorized agents, and will show interested parties only upon appointment.
Address W. S. MORSE, Vista, San Diego county, Cal.

FOR SALE—320 ACRES FARMING LAND in Calabasas. Address GEORGE GRAF, Calabasas, Cal.

FOR SALE — FRESNO AND MERCED grape, fig and peach land. Easy terms. Apply to H. J. LAUGHLIN, 444 Bradbury Bldg.

Mexico.

FOR SALE—125,000 ACRES OF THE FINEST agricultural, cattle, mineral and timber land in Northern Mexico.
All in one body, perfect title, 500 or more under cultivation, plenty of water, delightful climate. Must be sold to close estate. No agents need apply. Best of references. See SAMANIEGO, 709 California Bldg. Phones: F1572; Main 7545.

Perris Valley.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—
PERRIS VALLEY.
540 acres located in the Perris Valley close to railroad; 400 acres in fine stand of alfalfa; 18 acres in olives; sandy loam soil, level as a floor, no waste land. Abundance of water, 2 large pumping plants, 4 nearly new houses; ample stables with hay loft, tool shed, blacksmith shop, large warehouse at railroad station; price $300 per acre, terms 1-3 cash, balance long time, 5 per cent. interest.

BRADLEY & EELLS,
835 Security Bldg., Pomona Office,
5th and Spring sts. 111 W. 2nd st.
Phones F4246; Main 1652. Phone 444.

Santa Cruz.

FOR SALE — RANCHES, HOMES, ACREage. Free list. WILSON BROS., Santa Cruz, Cal.

IMPERIAL VALLEY—

FOR SALE—A REAL SNAP, 240 ACRES OF the most highly improved ranch, within 4½ miles of Holtville, all in alfalfa, fenced and cross-fenced, fine house and plenty of shade trees. Price right. Owner must sell. Also several good relinquishments, cheap, part trade. E. A. ALLEN, 917 Union Oil Bldg.

"SEE BLISS ABOUT IT."
Have some real bargains in Imperial Valley land; also some real snaps in relinquishments that must be sold this week.
A1440. A. L. BLISS.
Main 5836. 328 Bradbury Bldg.

PALO VERDE—

FOR SALE—PAYMENTS JUST LIKE LEASING. Improved alfalfa and cotton farms and unimproved land near Blythe in PALO VERDE VALLEY for sale on terms about the same as leasing. Land can be paid for easily out of crops. Perfect soil; abundant and cheap gravity water. H. M. FRASER, 300 Title Insurance Bldg.

SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY—

FOR SALE—I HAVE SEVERAL THOUSAND ACRES IN THE SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY WHICH I WILL SELL PART OF FOR $20 PER ACRE, WHICH IS HALF OF WHAT THE LAND IS WORTH. THIS LAND IS UNDER DITCH AND LEVEL. WATER CAN BE OBTAINED AT 40 FEET. PART OF THIS LAND IS NOW IN ALFALFA. I NEED CASH AND WILL MAKE THIS SACRIFICE. PRINCIPALS ONLY. ADDRESS K, BOX 9, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY ranch, 320 acres, fine for olives, orchard, alfalfa, or dairy; four miles south of Madera, half mile from S. P. and Santa Fe and State highway. Well for pumping plant; improved land around selling for $250 per acre. Must sell, $75 per acre. Terms. Address owner, J. A. MANNING, 846 Franklin st., Fresno, Cal.

FOR SALE — A TRACT OF ABOUT 3000 acres of fine citrus land in the Porterville district, situated in a warm foothill valley; abundant water at 12 feet lift; would consider an exchange for city income. 537 CENTRAL BLDG. Mr. Choate.

FOR SALE—20 ACRES, IMPROVED, 5-ROOM house, barn, well, good water right, fenced, 1½ miles from Lemoore; $5500; $500 cash, balance 10 years. Address owner, J. A. MANNING, 846 Franklin st., Fresno, Cal.

GOVERNMENT LAND—

SECURE A HOME WHERE LAND AND conditions are right; join my party, locate rich level government land, which will soon make you independent, in large fertile valley, where I live and ranch; abundance water, night's ride from Los Angeles, near railroad, town, markets. Call, investigate, see sample soil. 300 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG., 4th and Spring sts.

THERE IS ONLY ONE IMPERIAL VALley where everybody makes good with plenty of gravity ditch water direct from the Colorado River giving the cheapest and best irrigated system in the world. For descriptions and particulars write or see ALCOTT & WELCH, 441 Chamber of Commerce, Los Angeles, Cal.

FOR THE BEST GOVERNMENT LAND IN all of Southern California, with best of proven water conditions, where any man with a little energy can develop and make good, see or write EDWARD H. ALCOTT, 441 Chamber of Commerce, Los Angeles, California.

RELINQUISHMENTS, 160 TO 3200 ACRES water from 6 to 30 feet of surface. This is good land and will cost you $1.50 per acre. L. S. M'KINNEY & CO., 241 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—160-ACRE HOMESTEAD RElinquishment, Palo Verde Valley. Address V. H. box 43, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE — 3 DANDY RELINquishments, 320 acres, 240 acres; 40 acres. C. K. BUCKLE, 404 Grant Bldg.

RELINQUISHMENT 160 ACRES IN COAchella Valley. Cheap for cash. Address C, box 67, TIMES OFFICE.

ORANGE AND LEMON GROVES— For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE—ORANGE GROVES.
10 acres, Yorba Linda. 7 acres set to Valencia oranges, 3 acres to Eureka lemons; trees about 13 months old; new California 5-room bungalow, barn and outbuildings, half mile from Pacific Electric station. Beautiful location. $10,000. Terms.
We make a specialty of orange groves in Yorba Linda and Placentia districts, the home of the Valencia orange. See us for the best bargains.
CUNNINGHAM REALTY COMPANY, INC.
60193 Central Bldg. Bdwy. 1982.

FOR SALE — 3 EXTRA FINE FOOTHILL young orange and lemon groves, 3 years old. One of 5 acres and a fraction, one of 20 acres, one of 13½ acres, between Glendora and San Dimas, on the clean side of the boulevard. The lemons will pay the expenses another year. Price $1000 per acre; easy terms; will be worth $2000 per acre in another year; land, water, frost conditions and location cannot be excelled. C. H. S. LITTLETON, 49 S. Madison ave., Pasadena.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—10 ACRES, 22-year-old orange grove, full crop on trees, averaging 5000 to 6000 boxes per year, must sacrifice to protect other interests; price $15,000, terms one-third cash, balance time; will trade for clear income property to half, and balance cash. Main 219. OBERLANDER, 605 Union Oil Bldg.

FOR SALE — 19½ ACRES CITRUS LAND, the real kind, in the greatest lemon producing district in Southern California; close to town and market; finest soil, ample water, in cement flumes; nothing lacking, at $315 per acre, easy terms.
L. J. RICE, 416 P. E. Bldg.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE, ONE OF BEST 20-acre orange and alfalfa ranches in Riverside. Splendid condition, $4000 crop. House, barn, plenty water. Price $30,000 for everything. Want apartments or flat, income property. Will assume. J. C. HUNTER REALTY CO., 543 Title Ins. Bldg. F4447.

FOR SALE—
Pick Oranges Off Your Own Lot.
$25 Cash, $10 Month,
for a lot covered with full-bearing orange trees in our Orange Grove tract.
THE McCARTHY CO., 201 N. Broadway.

FOR SALE — 10 ACRES ORANGE AND lemon land, priced much lower than other land in same district; 16 miles from Los Angeles. Will be sold on terms that make ownership easy. L. N. CLEVELAND, 814 H. W. Hellman Bldg. Phone A5372, Main 116.

ORANGE AND LEMON GROVES— For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE—

A TEN-ACRE ORCHARD.

BARGAIN. BARGAIN. BARGAIN.

If you are seeking a young orange orchard in an ideal section of Southern California SEE US.
We are offering for sale this orange orchard bargain, including a six-room, artistic bungalow containing all the modern conveniences, electricity, telephone service, etc., for $5700 under a long term contract for a small first payment.
This ideal money-earning country home is located within 1000 feet of a town, affording excellent educational advantages and within a short distance of MAIN LINE RAILWAY TRANSPORTATION, GAS, MILLS AND FRUIT PACKING-HOUSES.
For further particulars call, write or phone

GIBRALTAR INVESTMENT AND HOME BUILDING COMPANY,
Isaiah Martin, President.
Home 10317. 142 S. Spring st. Main 9152.

FOR SALE—

ONLY A FEW PIECES LEFT.
YORBA LINDA.
FAMOUS
FROSTLESS ORANGE AND LEMON LAND.
We have a few choice ones now on the market in this famous district. Do not delay. Perfect citrus soil and plenty of water. This is the last opportunity in this great tract.
Two 10-acre tracts, $300 an acre, 10 per cent. down and 10 per cent. per year at 6 per cent. interest.
10 acres, with large house, valued at $2000, $7000, $2000 down and balance in small payments.
12 acres of Valencias, planted one and one-half years ago. $300 an acre; 10% cash, balance 10 per cent per year at 6 per cent. interest.
You cannot afford to overlook these opportunities. They will go quick. Call, phone or write.

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Home 10345. Broadway 2468.

FOR SALE—

24 ACRES LEMONS.

COVINA.

FROSTLESS.

$8000 CROP ON TREES.

I'm 67 years old; ready to retire; want to come to town. My lemon grove is full bearing Eureka lemons in perfect condition. Oldest and best water right in the valley included. I'll sell cheaper than my neighbors if I can get large part cash. Would like to deal with buyer direct. Price $22,000. Address D, box 227, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—ORANGE LANDS.
LEMON LANDS.
FROSTLESS SECTION.
MOUNTAIN SCENERY.
GRAVITY OR PUMP WATER.
GRANITE SOIL.

A bargain; this 20-acre tract, and 10 acres all planted, in fine condition ... this spring; the best ... in Southern California; no hard ground ... orange trees ... open; not the slightest ... in the nursery; here is a chance ... $30,000 in one year; ... acre; terms, $20,000 cash, ... geles or Pasadena income ... Courtesy to all agents. E. A. MORGAN, room 19, State Bank Bldg., Pomona, Cal.

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE — A ... of 10-acre and one 20-acre orange ... Also one of 80 acres. ... income property ... cattle ranch in Northern California ... are all Riverside groves ... trees. E. D. BACHE, 98 Title ... Bldg.

FOR SALE—AT A GREAT BARGAIN ... acre orange grove, now loaded with ... 10 minutes' walk from the business ... of Corona, facing the Grand boulevard ... KENNEDY, owner, 32 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE— Poultry Ranches.

FOR SALE—

POULTRY FARM SNAP.

Two fine acres, southwest, ... from car line. Has good house ... in fine condition ... trees. Small cash payment ... session, balance to suit as monthly ... ments. Price $2300. Address ... TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE — POULTRY RANCH ... plastered house, toolhouse ... houses, corrals, incubator ... one acre, half plowed, half ... $2400, $300 cash ... this is extra good ... REALTY OFFICE, 411 Los Angeles ... Bldg., Eighth and Broadway.

FOR SALE—LEASE AND ... chicken and fruit ranch ... house, bath, free water ... ness, all tools and implements ... chickens, 4 years' lease ... in, incubators, brooders, etc. ... EXCHANGE BLDG.

FOR SALE—POULTRY RANCH ... $15 month, free water ... MARER'S REALTY OFFICE ... Investment Bldg., Eighth and Broadway.

FOR SALE— Timber Land.

FOR SALE — ... white pine, close to railroad ... JACOBS, 255 N. 19th st., Portland, Or.

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FOR SALE—$650 ... 10 ROOMS ... niture, walking distance ... This is a bargain ... 6TH ST., Room 411.

FOR SALE—$350 FLAT ... ly furnished, cheap rent ... four blocks from ... 124 W. 6TH. Room 411.

FOR SALE—20 ROOMS ... $160, lease. Price ... vacancies. THE GEO. R. EDSON CO. ...

FOR SALE—ROOMING-HOUSE ... central location ... lease. $1250 ... Owner, J, box 292, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — FURNITURE OF ... cottage, $350, rent $20 ... making the rent ... 6952.

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FOR SALE—5-ROOM FLAT ... nished, all light ... porch. No dealers ... Two rooms pays expenses.

FOR SALE—DANDY ... West 7th, good ... income. JOHN C. ... Investment Bldg.

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FOR SALE—FURNITURE ... cheap. Flat for rent ... Flat A.

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FOR SALE—A-1 SMALL ... splendid location ... ER, 630 San Pedro st.

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Classified Liners.

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FOR SALE—
W. H. TAFT CO., HOTEL BROKERS,
405 South Hill St.
A4790, 202 W. & C. Bldg., By. 2651.

ONLY $7.00 A ROOM.
Why pay $10 a room when here is an opportunity to step into a profitable hotel business. Six years' lease. House well furnished. Large percentage of rooms and halls recently recarpeted. All modern conveniences and liberal percentage of private baths. Gross monthly income for 12 months ending October 31, averages $2300 month. House is today in excellent shape. Price $12,000. Mostly cash. Adjoins office buildings, so you don't have to pioneer.
WILL EXCHANGE
Finely furnished 45-room hotel corner, modern conveniences, steam heat, etc. Low rent. Dining room and well equipped kitchen, Billiard room. Walking distance. Price $5000. Terms, $2300 cash, or will entertain lot or bungalow for equity. Offered at cost. Can't be duplicated for price asked.

ANOTHER GOOD ONE.
Sixty rooms within few minutes' walk of hub of activity. Nicely furnished. Unexcelled location. Good lease at about $2.25. Price $5500. Owner of this money-making house will entertain good exchange and prefers grove in Glendora district. This hotel is netting several hundred dollars a month, on submit some good propositions.

COUNTRY HOTELS.
$500 cash and cheap lot buys medium-sized hotel in town of 6000.
15-room hotel in live town; rental $8 room. Rates $2.50 to $5.00 week. Well furnished. Price $3000.

45-room apartment-house; walking distance; rental on ten-years' lease averages $4.25 room. This is one of best planned modern houses in town. Present income close to $800. This house is of frame construction, thoroughly up-to-date. Large basement with servants' quarters, bath and toilet. Well furnished. Price $6000.

SPECIAL, WILL BUILD
Near Arcade Station, north of East 6th st., 60-room, modern lodging house; about $4.00.

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METROPOLITAN REALTY CO.,
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We want for sale or lease good apartment-houses and hotels, selling them right along. Call or phone

HOME A5465.
SUNSET BROADWAY 90.

FOR SALE—AND EXCHANGE—
21-ROOM APARTMENTS.
5-year lease.
Close in, on west side; elegant furniture, best location in city; owner will sell for less than cost of furniture, and consider good lot to $1000, or clear bungalow. This is an opportunity not often duplicated, as it must go this week, at any price. Call early and get full particulars. Don't miss this chance. WILSON & LANYON, 931 Union Oil Bldg.

FOR SALE—
60-ROOM APARTMENT.
$3500. TERMS.
If taken before January 1, owner forced to sell on account of poor health; 4-year lease; rent $4.50 a room, nicely furnished, clean and always full, clears $300 a month. Close in, on west side. WILSON & LANYON REALTY CO., 931 Union Oil Bldg.

FOR SALE—MODERN, HIGH CLASS, 67-room apartment-house, South Grand ave., 7 years' lease. Cheap rent. Owner sacrificing $1000 on this. You'll get a bargain. See FOX, 228 Story Bldg.

FOR SALE—HOTEL.
NEW AND BEAUTIFULLY FURNISHED 8-ROOM HOTEL, CLOSE IN AND DOING GOOD BUSINESS, LONG LEASE AND LOW RENT, ACT QUICK, $2500, A BARGAIN. ADDRESS D, BOX 227, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—DANDY 16-ROOM ROOMING-house, near Seventh and Olive sts., all single rooms, all men roomers, brick building, rent $80 month; good lease, clears $75 month; price $1425, $1000 down, balance easy terms. See this if you want close-in place. KEYSTONE CO., office room 1, Hotel Corona, 337 W. SEVENTH ST.

FOR SALE—42 ALL SINGLE ROOMING, very close in, three blocks from 7th and Broadway, well furnished, hot and cold water, steam heat, rent reasonable, long lease, price $3000. GEO. W. WILSON, 931 Union Oil Bldg.

FOR SALE—I WANT THE CASH AND will sell my furniture and lease of 65-room apartment-house, doing a good business; all new and modern; this is a bargain that cash only can buy. C. H. STILLWELL, Hotel ... Pico and Flower. Phone 10866.

FOR SALE—GRAND AVE., 60 ROOMS, near Fourth, finest location in city. Long lease at $2 per room. This house makes money every month in the year. We have exclusive on this. DAVIS & RYDER, 615 ... Bldg. Fourth and Broadway.

FOR LEASE — FURNISHED ROOMING-house, 75 rooms, nicely furnished; location center of business. Deposit required, lot ... cash $1000; bonus small; must sell. The GEO. R. EDSON CO., 628 Story Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—45-ROOM APARTMENT house, all filled with permanent tenants; clearing $200 per month, summer and winter; good lease; price $5500. Want city property in exchange. S. E. BEACH, 706 California Bldg., Second and Broadway.

FOR SALE—16-ROOM ROOMING-HOUSE, all rooms have outside windows; $900 takes it, good lease; every room filled; a money-maker; 5 minutes from P. O. See WILSON & DAGUE, 415 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—$1000 HANDLES 40-ROOM APTS., west side; cheap rent; long lease; walking distance; price only $2750; consider trade. What have you? CITY REALTY, 702 S. Spring, Room 205.

FOR SALE—51 ROOMS GOOD FURNITURE, if sold this week. Genuine close-in bargain. Private baths all apartments. Long lease. Cheap rent and will give terms. GOODWIN, 522 W. Sixth.

FOR EXCHANGE—SMALL HOTEL AND ... new building, newly furnished, growing business in progressive city. Price $2200, will take real estate. Address GARVEY, LINK & CO., Corona, Cal.

FOR SALE — AWFUL SACRIFICE, CASH or terms, some exchange, 67 rooms, off W. Seventh st. Another, $500; 42 rooms, $2500; ... clear, $425, net month. Make offer. PHOENIX, 202 Grant Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE 25-ROOM APARTment-house, west side, walking distance, close to 5th street. Would exchange for bungalow ... Address H, box 400, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—DOWNTOWN 42-ROOM HOTEL, nicely furnished, outside rooms; lease, rent $225, price $2250, terms; owner made money here, wants larger place. THE GEO. R. EDSON CO., 628 Story Bldg.

FOR SALE—21 ROOMS, GRAND AVE., FINest location in city; owner very anxious to sell and will take half cash, balance easy. See MR. RYDER, 225 S. Broadway, Room 48. Phone Main 6955.

FOR SALE—AT A SACRIFICE, 50-FOOT lot near 7th street, between 7th and 8th streets, value of lot $13,000, 18-room house, 9 years ago at cost of $5300. Price ... $3000 cash required. PHONE 58350.

FOR SALE—THROUGH FAMILY CIRCUMstances, 40-room house, low rent, $135; $1500 ... Owner, 513 TEMPLE ST.

FOR SALE—SIX ROOMS, $450; RENTS, $16; ... $50; bargains. 706½ E. NINTH ST.

APARTMENT HOUSES— For Sale, Exchange, Lease or Wanted.

FOR SALE—APARTMENT-HOUSE. I HAVE a 5-year lease on a 42-room apartment-house. First-class, up-to-date; best furniture and carpet. Everything new. Must be sold by January 1. Call at once and make me an offer. 523 W. 28TH ST. Phone South 2809.

FOR LEASE — APARTMENT-HOUSE ON ... sand; 24 rooms, furnished; lease per ... month rent to apply to end of term. ... Will give 5-year lease, security ... SCHWEINHARD, 3007 Trolleyway, P. E. depot.

FOR SALE — $1500—APARTMENT HOUSE, one of the new, up-to-date places with all built-in features. Fine brick building, ... light and airy. So clean that it is a pleasure to show it. See MILLER, 224 ... Bldg.

WANTED—LOTS OR BUNGALOW, in exchange, cash basis, equity more than ... elegant furnishings, long lease, high class money making apartment house; no ... Address C, box 543, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR LEASE—APARTMENT HOUSE WITH all modern built-in features; attractive front ... wide halls, etc., etc. Very reasonable ... and terms. See house and owner, ... 8TH ST. Phone 52857.

FOR SALE—AN ATTRACTIVE APARTMENT, one like this in city; will pay 20 per cent. on investment. Call on agent. 403 ... Bldg.

FOR SALE — APARTMENT-HOUSE, 45 ... good location, lease. Think of it, ... also, clean place. Price $2500; ... Get busy. ... R. EDSON CO., 628 Story Bldg.

FOR SALE—45-ROOM APT.-HOUSE NEAR ... Park, best class, thoroughly modern; ... lease 10 years; $9000, terms. ... R. EDSON CO., 628 Story Bldg.

FOR SALE—MODERN FURNISHED APARTment-house, two blocks from Broadway. DR. ..., owner, 6378 Hollywood blvd.

Classified Liners.

HOTELS AND LODGING HOUSES—
For Sale, Exchange, Lease or Wanted.

FOR SALE—
W. H. TAFT CO., HOTEL BROKERS,
402 South Hill St.
A466, 303 W. & C. Bldg., By. 3851.

ONLY $7.00 A ROOM.
Why pay $10 a room when here is an opportunity to step into a profitable hotel business. [illegible] lease. House well furnished. Large [illegible] of rooms and halls recently re[illegible]. All modern conveniences and liberal [illegible] of private baths. Gross monthly [illegible] for 12 months ending October 31, aver[illegible]. House is today in excellent [illegible]. Price $12,000. Mostly cash. Adjoins [illegible], so you don't have to pioneer.

WILL EXCHANGE
[illegible] furnished 45-room hotel corner, mod[illegible], steam heat, etc. Low rent. [illegible] and well equipped kitchen. Bil[illegible] room. Walking distance. Price $7000. [illegible] cash, or will entertain lot or [illegible] for equity. Offered at cost. Can't [illegible] for price asked.

ANOTHER GOOD ONE.
[illegible] within few minutes' walk of [illegible] of activity. Nicely furnished. Unex[illegible]. Good lease at about $6.50. [illegible]. Owner of this money-making [illegible] will entertain good exchange and pro[illegible] in Glendora district. This hotel is [illegible] several hundred dollars a month, so [illegible] good propositions.

COUNTRY HOTELS.
[illegible] cash and cheap lot buys medium-sized [illegible] of 400.
[illegible] hotel in live town; rental $3 room. [illegible] to $6.00 week. Well furnished. [illegible]

[illegible] apartment-house; walking distance; [illegible] on two-years' lease averages $6.25 room. This is one of best planned modern houses [illegible]. Present income close to $600. This [illegible] is of frame construction, thoroughly up-[illegible]. Large basement with servants' quar[illegible], bath and toilet. Well furnished. Price [illegible]

SPECIAL, WILL BUILD
[illegible] Station, north of East 6th St., [illegible] modern lodging house; about $6.00.

WANTED—
METROPOLITAN REALTY CO.,
[illegible] Consolidated Realty Bldg.
We want for sale or lease good apartment-houses and hotels, selling them right along. Call or phone
HOME A1455.
SUNSET BROADWAY 90.

FOR SALE—AND EXCHANGE—
11-ROOM APARTMENTS,
5-year lease.
Close in, on west side; elegant furniture, [illegible] in city; owner will sell for [illegible] cost of furniture, and consider [illegible] to $1000, or clear bungalow. This is an opportunity not often duplicated, as it [illegible] this week, at any price. Call [illegible] and get full particulars. Don't miss [illegible]. WILSON & LANYON, 931 Union Oil Bldg.

FOR SALE—
40-ROOM APARTMENT.
$2000, TERMS.
[illegible] before January 1, owner forced to sell on account of poor health; 4-year lease; rent $4.50 a room, nicely furnished, [illegible] and always full, clears $300 a month. [illegible] on west side. WILSON & LANYON REALTY CO., 931 Union Oil Bldg.

FOR SALE—MODERN, HIGH CLASS, 67-room apartment-house, South Grand ave., 7 year lease. Cheap rent. Owner sacrificing [illegible]. You'll get a bargain. See [illegible], 12 Story Bldg.

FOR SALE— —HOTEL
NEW AND BEAUTIFULLY FURNISHED [illegible] HOTEL. CLOSE IN AND DOING GOOD BUSINESS. LONG LEASE AND LOW RENT. ACT QUICK. $2500. A BARGAIN. ADDRESS D, BOX 337, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—DANDY 14-ROOM ROOMING-house, near Seventh and Olive sts., all [illegible] rooms, all men roomers, brick building, rent $90 month; good lease, clears $75 [illegible]; price $1425. $1000 down, balance [illegible] terms. See this if you want close-in [illegible]. KEYSTONE CO., office room 1, Ho[illegible], 211 W. SEVENTH ST.

FOR SALE—[illegible] ALL SINGLE ROOMING, [illegible] close in, three blocks from 7th and [illegible], well furnished, hot and cold water, steam heat, rent reasonable, long lease, [illegible]. GEO. W. WILSON, 331 Union [illegible] Bldg.

FOR SALE—I WANT THE CASH AND [illegible] my furniture and lease of 65-room [illegible]-house, doing a good business; all [illegible] modern; this is a bargain that cash [illegible] buy. C. H. STILLWELL, Hotel [illegible], Pico and Flower. Phone 10866.

FOR SALE—GRAND AVE., 60 ROOMS, [illegible] Fourth, finest location in city. Long [illegible] at $ per room. This house makes [illegible] every month in the year. We have [illegible] this. DAVIS & RYDER, 418 [illegible] Bldg., Fourth and Broadway.

FOR LEASE — FURNISHED ROOMING-[illegible], 5 rooms, nicely furnished; location [illegible] of business. Deposit required, lot [illegible] cash 1000; bonus small; must sell. [illegible] GEO. R. EDSON CO., 628 Story [illegible]

FOR EXCHANGE—46-ROOM APARTMENT [illegible], all filled with permanent tenants; [illegible] per month, summer and winter; [illegible] price $[illegible]. Want city property [illegible]. S. E. BEACH, 706 California [illegible], Second and Broadway.

FOR SALE—14-ROOM ROOMING-HOUSE, [illegible] rooms have outside windows; $900 takes [illegible]; good lease; every room filled; a [illegible]; 5 minutes from P. O.
See WILSON & DAGUE,
415 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—$[illegible] HANDLES 40-ROOM APTS., [illegible]; cheap rent; long lease; walking [illegible]; price only $2750; consider trade. [illegible] have you?
[illegible] REALTY, 702 S. Spring, Room 205.

FOR SALE—[illegible] ROOMS GOOD FURNITURE [illegible] if sold this week. Genuine close-in [illegible]. Private baths all apartments. Long [illegible], cheap rent and will give terms. [illegible], 322 W. Sixth.

FOR EXCHANGE—SMALL HOTEL AND [illegible], new building, newly furnished, grow[illegible] in progressive city. Price $2500. [illegible] real estate. Address GARVEY, [illegible] & CO., Corona, Cal.

FOR SALE — AWFUL SACRIFICE, CASH [illegible] exchange, 67 rooms, off W. [illegible]. Another, $[illegible]; 43 rooms, $2000; [illegible], $[illegible] net month. Make offer. [illegible], 201 Grant Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE 22-ROOM APARTMENT, [illegible], west side, walking distance. [illegible]. Would exchange for bungalow [illegible] the street. Address B, box 460, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—DOWNTOWN 42-ROOM HOTEL, [illegible] nicely furnished, outside rooms; lease, [illegible], price $[illegible], terms; owner made [illegible], wants larger place.
[illegible] R. EDSON CO., 628 Story Bldg.

FOR SALE—[illegible] ROOMS, GRAND AVE., FIN[illegible] in city; owner very anxious to [illegible]; will take half cash, balance easy [illegible]. RYDER, 225 S. Broadway, [illegible]. Phone Main [illegible].

FOR SALE—AT A SACRIFICE, 50-FOOT [illegible] street, between 7th and 8th [illegible], value of lot $12,600, 28-room house, [illegible] years ago at cost of $[illegible]. Price [illegible] cash required. PHONE 55256.

FOR SALE—THROUGH FAMILY CIRCUM[illegible] house, low rent, $135; $1500 [illegible]. Owner, 223 TEMPLE ST.

FOR SALE—SIX ROOMS, $[illegible]; RENTS, $16; [illegible]. 706½ E. NINTH ST.

APARTMENT HOUSES—
For Sale, Exchange, Lease or Wanted.

FOR SALE—APARTMENT-HOUSE. I HAVE [illegible] lease on a 45-room apartment-house, up-to-date; best furniture [illegible]. Everything new. Must be sold [illegible]. Call at once and make me an [illegible], [illegible] W. 28TH ST. Phone South 2800.

FOR SALE — APARTMENT-HOUSE ON [illegible] 3 rooms, furnished; lease per [illegible]. Will give 5-year lease, security [illegible] to apply to end of term. [illegible] Trolleyway, P. E. depot.

FOR SALE — $[illegible]—APARTMENT HOUSE [illegible] new, up-to-date places with all [illegible]. Fine brick building, [illegible] light and airy. So clean that it [illegible] to show it. See MILLER, 224 [illegible]

FOR SALE—[illegible] OR BUNGALOW.
[illegible], oak beds, equity more than [illegible] furnishings, long lease, high [illegible] apartment house; no [illegible]. Address C, box 542, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—APARTMENT HOUSE WITH [illegible] built-in features; attractive front [illegible] halls, etc., etc. Very reason[illegible] terms. See house and owner, [illegible] ST. Phone [illegible].

FOR SALE—ATTRACTIVE APARTMENT, [illegible] in city; will pay 20 [illegible] investment. Call on agent. 403 [illegible]

FOR SALE—APARTMENT-HOUSE, 48 [illegible], lease. Think of it, [illegible] place. Price $3500; [illegible] R. EDSON CO., 628 Story Bldg.

FOR SALE—[illegible] APT.-HOUSE NEAR [illegible], hot clean, thoroughly mod[illegible] lease 3 years; $[illegible], terms. [illegible] EDSON CO., 628 Story Bldg.

FOR SALE—[illegible] FURNISHED APART[illegible] blocks from Broadway. DR. [illegible], owner, [illegible] Hollywood blvd.

APARTMENT HOUSES—
For Sale, Exchange, Lease or Wanted.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—
Owner obliged to dispose of furniture, lease, high class, 56-room apartment house, select west side; every room outside, windows; private halls; phones, steam; beautiful furniture and lobby; 35 apartments, all rented; big profits. Having leased 150-room house, can't run both. Part trade and terms.
Owners and Agents.
No Cash Required.
For Exchange—The luxurious furnishings, long lease, large and finest appointed and best paying apartment house in city; location commands most sightly view, presents an atmosphere of richness, taste and harmony displayed throughout; balconies with each apartment, sun parlor, lobby, amusement hall. Want bungalow or lots. Remember, no cash necessary.
JONES & JONES, F5930.
320 Lissner Bldg., 524 S. Spring.

FOR SALE—BARGAINS IN APARTMENT-houses.
$5000—Lease and furniture of 64 rooms. Choice location, close in; $2300 will handle. This is a money maker.
$1750—A very choice 24-room house, close in, paying $150 per month. This one must be sold.
$2500—13 rooms, clean; modest, within walking distance; always full.
McCrary & Hammond, with
CUNNINGHAM REALTY CO.,
Phones Bdwy. 1982; 60193. 714 Central Bldg.

FOR SALE—SACRIFICE.
$4000.
GIVEN AWAY.
Larger and more valuable interests confronted by foreclosure, do you want my $8500 equity in furnishings, 10 year lease of one of most profitable apartment houses in city for $4000? Not one vacancy. You must have cash. This is bonafide. Address C, box 542, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE — GOOD ALL-YEAR 42-ROOM apartment-house, large, airy rooms, convenient, 2 and 3-room suites; rent $150 per month, lease; mortgage $750. 7 per cent. Take it before the 25th and you get the commission, $2400 takes it. Address B, box [illegible] TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE — 72-ROOM BRICK APARTment-house, strictly fireproof, nice entrance, wide halls, nicely furnished, fine location, long lease, always full, can show big profits; must sell at once, only $5000; owner. Address K, box 11, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—
ACCOUNT WIFE'S DEATH.
Strictly modern, high class 56-room apartment house; choice west side location; all apartments have private halls in every room, including kitchens and bathrooms; strictly outside exposure; all have private phones, steam heated, richly furnished, beautiful lobby. Address owner, C, box 544, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—BUY DIRECT FROM OWNER the swellest 30-room apartment-house in the city, 5-year lease, rent $125; west side, 6 minutes from Broadway; great sacrifice; must sell this week. No agents. Address C, box 460, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—
Flat and Apartment Property.

FOR SALE — APARTMENT SITE CORNER in most active section, close in, with good rooming-house completely furnished, a bargain. Address J, box 254, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Business Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—
LA PRINCESA APTS., 717 Lake st., lot 40x146½; 40-room building, price $80,000; mortgage $12,000; income over $3000 a year, leased for eight years.
Will consider good clear acreage or city property for my equity.
See owner, Mr. Bear,
with
O'BRIEN-MEYER INVESTMENT CO.,
612 Hill st. 60157. Bdwy. 332.

FOR EXCHANGE—OWNERS, LOCAL AND eastern clear. Builder owns fine clean corner 100x165, very desirable rental location. Is unable to develop it alone. Will build sixteen flats, $300 per month rental, and exchange 60 per cent. equity for clear local or eastern income. Equity about $30,000. You must assume $10,000 or more according to value of your offering. Address K, box 32, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Good business lot, 50x103, nominal improvements, splendid future, close to business center, $10,000; mortgage 3 years, 6 per cent. Exchange equity $15,000 for clear land or city. C. A. MARCH, 711 Delta Bldg. F2745.

FOR EXCHANGE—A RESTAURANT, WELL located, cheap rent, doing a thriving business; liquor license. A-1 proposition for the right party. Owner will sacrifice for $2500 if deal is made at once. J. T. PETERS, 619 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Houses.

FOR EXCHANGE—9-ROOM HOME, LOT 80x165, well improved with bearing fruit trees, garage with cement floors, chicken pens, cement drive, walks, all complete, good street, half block to car line and stores. A complete home. Price $6500. Want Tulare or Kings county lands, good, unimproved. Owner. 2015 SIXTH AVE.

FOR EXCHANGE—
INVITING EXCHANGE: SWELL NEW 6-ROOM BUNGALOW SOUTHWEST, splendid surroundings. Also choice clear lot. Want 7-room strictly modern around $4500; prefer furnished, and good elevation for home, north or west. No inflation; no commissions. Owner, MORRIS, 327 Story Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—A NICE 4-ROOM BUNgalow, bath, built-in effects, front and back porch, garage, chickens, corrals and houses, fenced, front lawn and shrubbery, lot 50x184. Will take a lot up to $1000 and some cash, balance terms. Price $3000. Submit what you have. Take Vermont Heights car to 94 PRITCHARDS, White Office, or Phone South 61J1.

FOR EXCHANGE—
We have some excellent homes in Los Angeles for good ranch property. Either groves or acreage.
CUNNINGHAM REALTY CO., Inc.,
714-716 Central Bldg.
60193. Bdwy. 1982.

FOR EXCHANGE—WILL TAKE EQUITY IN a bungalow for this fifty-room roominghouse, owner has his regular business to attend to and will sell for $3600, mortgage $1250, balance for your equity. Call only from 9 to 7 p.m. at 137 S. BROADWAY. Ver. 1167. A. S. Barret.

FOR EXCHANGE—NEW, MODERN 6-ROOM chalet bungalow, strictly modern and well located, block from car line, in Southwest. Price $4300; will take lot, acreage or automobile as first payment to $1400; might pay small cash difference. See owner, G. R. SMITH, 233 I. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—NEW 7-ROOM BUNgalow, strictly modern, lot 40x130, on W. 54th st., price $4000; mortgage $2500; 7 per cent., 3 years; will take vacant city or beach for equity and give or take cash. PHONE 51198.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—ELEGANT house of 8 rooms, Southwest, new, modern. Want clear lot to $1500 cash. Price $5000. Owner, SWARTZ, 327 Story Bldg. Main 402; F3748.

FOR EXCHANGE — PARTY WITH $1650 equity, 6-room new bungalow; want lot, Hollywood; might assume. LUCILE REALTY INVESTMENT CO., 315 Citizens National Bank Bldg. Main 5136, A5460.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Five-room new modern bungalow, in West Hollywood. What have you?
ANDERSON-DAVIS COMPANY,
514 Byrne Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — HAVE BEAUTIFUL bungalow of 6 rooms, all built-in features; will exchange for lots anywhere, or will take lot as part payment; submit. CAMPBELL & WILSON, 529 Union Oil Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — WANTED, BUILDING lots, clear, for Avenue 57, new 5-room bungalow, clear.
Phone F6554, or call 315 TITLE TRUST BLDG.

FOR EXCHANGE — TWO COTTAGES rented, Brooklyn Heights, east front, near cars and school, $4000; also large lot, Pasadena, $1000; both clear. Want ranch, same value. Owner, 4238 S. GRAND AVE.

FOR EXCHANGE—$2750. NEW 5-ROOM bungalow, lot 50x140, on Avenue 57, for clear city lots regular value. Phone F6554. 315 TITLE AND TRUST BLDG.

FOR EXCHANGE—9-ROOM HOUSE ON Magnolia ave., near Washington, completely furnished, including piano. Price $8000; mortgage $5000. What is offered in exchange? Call 301 CURRIER BLDG., 212 W. 3rd st.

FOR EXCHANGE — $10,000 HOME IN Highland Park, 10 rooms, lot 100x200. Will take clear lots to $5000. W. N. HOLWAY, 535 Laughlin Bldg. A1155.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Lots.

FOR EXCHANGE — 300-FOOT VALUABLE FRONTAGE ON ORANGE GROVE AVE., PASADENA. PRICE $30,000. WANT CLOSE-IN LOT FOR APARTMENT HOUSE, LOS ANGELES, UP TO $30,000. WILL PAY CASH DIFFERENCE OR ASSUME.
ALSO,
LOS ANGELES RESIDENCE ON HOBART BOULEVARD, $12,000, AND FINE LARGE CORNER LOT IN RIVERSIDE, WITH BEAUTIFUL 12-ROOM RESIDENCE CLOSE IN. VALUE 14,000. WANT ALFALFA RANCH, WILL PAY CASH DIFFERENCE.
J. O. ENELL REAL ESTATE CO.,
1115 TITLE INSURANCE BLDG., L. A.
436 POMONA INVESTMENT BLDG.,
POMONA, CAL.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANTED TO INVEST $500 in any small business, or will exchange a lot worth $800 for any paying business. Address KRAUS, Business Broker, 375 South Spring st., upstairs.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Lots.

FOR EXCHANGE—FOR LOT EITHER RESIdence or industrial, strictly high grade bungalow stains by reputable manufacturer. For appointment address MANUFACTURER, C, box 424, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—$500 LOT FOR ANYTHING of the same value. Address KRAUS, Business Broker, 375 South Spring st., upstairs.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—APARTMENT lot 50x150 at 20th and Magnolia. Want lot or something to rent. Must deal quick. 74460.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Suburban Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—60 ACRES, FINE SOIL, boulevard front, near car line, close to Los Angeles; free water, five-room house, small barn, stock, feed, implements, etc. $10,000; $3000 down, balance time. F. R. BAER, 335 Consolidated Realty Bldg. Phones.

FOR EXCHANGE—2 ACRES, 141 FEET ON Eagle Rock car line, clear, worth $4000, for clear residence in southwest, same value. E. G. WELCH, with T. L. O'Brien Co., South 2276; 25328.

FOR EXCHANGE—BUNGALOW ON LARGE Eagle Rock lot. Owner away wants cheap rentable house.
J. C. GREEN,
Main 2345. 502 Title Insurance Bldg. A4675.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Country Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—
280 acres of good ALFALFA LAND, located in Tulare county, near good small town, land is all level, rich, silt, subirrigated soil, and is in the artesian belt, shallow irrigating pumping wells, also domestic wells can be had, the supply is inexhaustible, the soil, water and location are the strong points about this piece, schools, telephones, electricity for light and power, no pioneering, will consider clear property in or near Los Angeles as part payment, or might assume some if income.
POTTER & MILLER, 504 L. A. Investment Bldg., corner Broadway and Eighth sts. Main 6572; 61549.

FOR EXCHANGE—

POULTRY RANCH FOR HOUSE.

Have $750 equity in two-acre poultry and fruit ranch, southwest, two blocks from car line, with 3-room house, to trade for same equity in bungalow and lot inside city limits, west of Main. Balance due on contract easy monthly payments. Address D, box 306, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—160 ACRES, TRUE ALfalfa land, nine miles from Fresno and three miles Rasin City, sandy loam soil, no alkali or hardpan, oiled road to town. Unlimited water at 14 ft. lift, electric power, adjoins alfalfa fields and subdivision that has sold for $150 per acre. Price $16,000; mortgage $5000. Want a good home here to equal or less value, or might consider a good farm in the middle States, clear. HARRY R. DE VENNEY, 631 San Fernando Bldg. F3232, Main 8210.

FOR EXCHANGE—4-ACRE FRUIT RANCH with new 6-room bungalow and good improvements, located in Pomona, with 5-cent car fare. Price $9000. No incumbrance. Want Los Angeles apartment house or site up to $15,000.
Two new homes in choice residence section of Pomona, price $5000, mortgage $4000. Want modern home in Los Angeles of about same value.
F. W. RITTER & CO.
Pomona, Calif.

FOR EXCHANGE—160 OR 320 ACRES SPLENdid level land, 3 hours' ride from Los Angeles, $20 per acre, worth $100, for home of 8 rooms, west or southwest.
15-acre best orange grove you ever saw, $22,000; mortgage $7500; for apartment house, city or beach, and will pay cash difference.
Modern 12-room Westlake home. Want acreage and will assume or bungalow for my $6500 equity.
VERNON H. PECK. Main 6060;
707 Grant Bldg. A1130.

FOR EXCHANGE — $6500; 10 ACRES, MILE out, Escondido; house, cemented cellar, barn, orchard, vineyard, 3 horses, wagons, cow, implements. Want around Pasadena.
$6000—8 acres, fine citrus soil, 1½ miles Escondido; splendid poultry plant, 1000 White Leghorn chickens; house, barn, chicken houses, cemented floors, horse, buggy, tools, implements; paying place. Want income around Los Angeles. WM. J. WELSHANS, 2337 E. Third st. Boyle 827.

FOR EXCHANGE—FOR EASTERN PROPerty, 56 acres at Escondido; 16 vines, 8 alfalfa plenty family fruit; first-class pumping plant, plenty water. Silo and other improvements. Good 7-room house, hot and cold water. All good orange land. 1000 nursery stock. $2500 stock of implements and grain. Baby Reo auto. Price $28,000. Address EXCHANGE REALTY CO., 314 E. 4th st., Santa Ana, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—320-ACRE RELINQUISHment on fine fruit land, Vegas Valley, Nev. Only $7.50 per acre, 2 miles from R. R., level, water easy depth. Want city or beach, unimproved or good eastern. C. A. LEHMAN, with PATTON & LONGLEY, 330 S. Hill st.

FOR EXCHANGE — 425 ACRES, MILE north of Paso Robles Hot Springs, good house, barn and stables, well and windmill, 250 now in grain. Rented for 1-4 the crop. $40 per acre. $17,000. Want an $8000 to $10,000 residence, balance time. A4432. MATHES 531 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—RIALTO, FULL BEARing grove, located mile east; five acres Valencias and navels, plenty cheap water. Price $12,000; $5000 straight three-year mortgage. Want clear eastern, Wilshire residence around $10,000. Address D, box 314, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—80 ACRES GOOD LEVEL alfalfa land, no buildings, ready for the plow, located less than ½ mile from small town in Tulare county. This is good land, water conditions first-class. Price only $80 per acre. POTTER & MILLER, F1500; Main 6572.

FOR EXCHANGE — 800-ACRE RANCH IN Los Angeles county; 500 acres level. Living spring on the ranch, can develop plenty of water. Price $16,000. Want nice home in or near Los Angeles. W. E. STOCKWELL & CO., 304 Grant Bldg. A1953, Main 1589.

FOR EXCHANGE—CANYON OLIVE RANCH near beautiful Monte Vista Valley; new buildings, free water. Price $35,000, income $5000. Submit anything good to $30,000. MILLER, 527 Bixel. Phone 53409.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT CITY PROPERty for this and it is fine; ready for subdivision; good income; 10 acres, Garden Grove, oranges, walnuts, nice house, pumping plant, $15,000, mortgage $6000. FRISBIE-JUSTEMA CO., Story Bldg. F5593; B3094.

FOR EXCHANGE—I HAVE 160 ACRES OF level land, clear, with perfect title, at Hesperia, to exchange for house and lot. Price $20 per acre. This land can be seen in a few hours with an auto. S. E. BEACH, 706 California Bldg. Main 5061, A5027.

FOR EXCHANGE — HAVE HOUSE AND three lots, Sierra Madre, $5000 clear. Will give fine deal for house, southwest. FRISBIE-JUSTEMA CO., Story Bldg. F5593; B3094.

FOR EXCHANGE—10 ACRES YOUNG ORanges, Anaheim; house, practically clear, $8500. Submit city. FRISBIE-JUSTEMA CO., Story Bldg. F5593; B3094.

FOR EXCHANGE—
We have splendid young orange and lemon groves, also acreage, for Los Angeles lots, residence or income property.
CUNNINGHAM REALTY CO., Inc.,
60193. 714-716 Central Bldg. Broadway 1982.

FOR EXCHANGE—10 ACRES, 2 MILES from Courthouse in Riverside. Fine soil, plenty of water. Price $4000. Want city vacant or improved. PATTERSON, 700 Fay Bldg. F3289; Broadway 2978.

FOR EXCHANGE—I HAVE 50 SAN JOAquin Valley properties, alfalfa and citrus improved and bare land, to exchange for Southern California. JOHN W. THOMSON, 631 San Fernando Bldg. F3232; Main 8210.

FOR EXCHANGE—5-8 ACRE AND 5-ROOM house in El Carmel Tract to trade for house and lot in Boyle Heights. A. W. BROWN, 408 Lissner Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Eastern and Northern Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE—DESIRABLE 7-ROOM modern residence, 26th and Chestnut st., Kansas City, Missouri; large lot, improved. Price $5000 clear. Want residence or what have you in city? Will assume $1500 if price is right. G. G. HUNTER REALTY CO., 542 Title Insurance Bldg. F4447.

FOR EXCHANGE—
I make a specialty of exchanging real estate, particularly California for eastern. Member L. A. Realty Board. C. W. CONWAY 304-5 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — $20,000 WORTH OF Pittsburgh, Pa., property, in different pieces, for property here. SAMUEL PANNER, R. D. No. 2, box 31A, Pasadena.

FOR EXCHANGE—I CAN SELL OR EXchange your property no matter where located. Call or write. Ask WEBBER, 642 San Fernando Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE. FOR EASTern land, 640 acres unimproved alfalfa land, Fresno county; 4 miles from station; $30. 120 acres A-1 orange land, $200 acre. $75,000 oil property. Box 338, DINUBA, CAL.

FOR EXCHANGE — WANT A BUSINESS to $24,000 for Oregon ranch. SALVAGE, 426 Mason Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANTED PROPERTY IN or near New York in exchange for property here. Call 301 CURRIER BLDG., 212 W. Third st.

FOR EXCHANGE — 640 ACRES, $35 ACRE, Ness county, Kansas. Also 310 acres, $65 acre, Corona. W. L. ARMANTAGE, 308 Bryson Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Eastern and Northern Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE—EASTERN FOR CALIfornia, 4 five-room houses in Muskogee, Oklahoma, all rented, cash value $8000, clear. Will exchange one or all for California.

80 acres good farm land in Arkansas, part has been under cultivation. Price $1500. Want California, prefer Los Angeles.
GLOBE INVESTMENT & LOAN CO.,
714 Los Angeles Investment Bldg.
F6006; Broadway 125.

FOR EXCHANGE — BENTON COUNTY Washington.
800 acres of wheat land in the famous Horseheaven country, $15 per acre. Want Los Angeles or improved Southern California property. T. W. JESSUP, 1621 Crown ave., Hollywood.

FOR EXCHANGE — ST. LOUIS, MO., INcome for Los Angeles. Owners only. No commission. Address owner, 669 W. 23RD ST.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate, Miscellaneous.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$20,000—Grounds 75x175, West Adams st., improved with 14-room apartment. Want improved ranch, alfalfa preferred.

$16,000—20 acres oranges, choice location, Corona; trees 12 years old, good condition; present crop estimated 2500 to 4000 boxes, goes with property. Want city or beach.

10,000—2-story, 9-room residence, high ground, west side, lot 50x161. Want improved ranch.

$6500—3½ acres, 18-year-old lemons, ample water stock, good 6-room house. Want city or suburban.

$3000—40 acres good alfalfa land, near city of Riverside. Want city residence.
C. MITCHEL WHITAKER,
1006 Hibernian Bldg.,
Main 3951. 4th and Spring. A5802.

FOR EXCHANGE—IN EXCHANGE READY cash is often of considerable value. We can supply it on good propositions. We also own and control properties to fit most any trade. List your property with us for quick action.
WALTER S. McKEE COMPANY,
A1654. 410 Title Insurance Bldg. Main 5002.

FOR EXCHANGE—
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EVERYTHING.
EVERYWHERE.
ARTHUR H. BAILEY,
MAIN 4086; A4587. 709 S. HILL ST.

FOR EXCHANGE — WANT DIAMOND IN exchange for a $400 equity in one of the finest building lots in the southwest; balance on easy terms. This is an extra-good chance for anyone wishing a lot at a low price; and a bargain. Party leaving city. Address K, box 72, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE — LIST EXCHANGES with us; we have four live exchange men. Come in and trade on the spot; we make them.
H. L. MILLER & CO.,
203-204 Union Oil Bldg., Seventh and Spring.

FOR EXCHANGE—I SPECIALIZE ON SO. California for northern and eastern, northern and eastern for Southern California. City for suburban, suburban for city. F. L. MAXWELL, 517 L. A. Invest., 8th and Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE—WHAT HAVE YOU CLEAR for a 5-acre orange grove in bearing? Will sell for CASH low. Don't answer just for fun. Address K, box 7, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE — WANTED; KANSAS, Missouri, and Oklahoma ranch property for Southern California. R. H. ELLSWORTH, with Bowen Realty Exchange, 210 Story Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—STOCKS AND REAL ESTATE, either way, or stocks for stocks. Always GOOD stocks below the market price for cash. BAYLISS, Auditorium Bldg.

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FOR EXCHANGE—L. W. LEIGHTON WILL sell or exchange your real estate. List it now; large or small. 513 GRANT BLDG. Phones F1023; Main 4962.

FOR EXCHANGE— TWO VERY FINE NEW bungalows in the southwest. Three car lines. Want San Joaquin land or clear lots. Owner, 408 SAN FERNANDO BLDG. Call 557156.

FOR EXCHANGE—WE SPECIALIZE ON exchanges anywhere and everywhere. Ask PETERSON, 424 W. Sixth.

FOR EXCHANGE — 7-ROOM HOUSE. Want acreage. Will take $500 cash, balance to suit. If you want a bargain call 61290.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEN WHITE WILL EXchange your property. 304 BRYSON BLDG., Second and Spring. Member L.A.R.B.

FOR EXCHANGE—$500 LOT FOR ANYTHING of the same value. Address KRAUS, Business Broker, 375 South Spring st., upstairs.

FOR EXCHANGE—I WANT YOUR PROPerty for exchange or sale, can match anything. J. A. CRAIG, 313 H. W. Hellman.

FOR EXCHANGE—WHAT HAVE YOU TO trade for Oregon property. SALVAGE, 426 Mason Bldg.

BUSINESS INVESTMENTS—

FOR SALE—

A TEN-ACRE ORCHARD.

BARGAIN. BARGAIN. BARGAIN.

If you are seeking a young orange orchard in an ideal section of Southern California, SEE US.

We are offering for sale this orange orchard bargain, including a six-room, artistic bungalow containing all the modern conveniences, electricity, telephone service, etc., for $6700 under a long term contract for a small first payment.

This ideal money-earning country home is located within 1000 feet of a town, affording excellent educational advantages and is within a short distance of MAIN LINE RAILWAY TRANSPORTATION, OLIVE MILLS AND FRUIT PACKING-HOUSES.

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Isaiah Martin, President.
Home 10917. 142 S. Spring St. Main 9123.

A SYNDICATE IS BEING FORMED BY A few prominent gentlemen, identified with the largest banking interests in Los Angeles, to close their option on the finest large ranch property in California; this property will be marketed in small acreage parcels, the profits will be large, the unquestioned standing and experience of these gentlemen insures full protection.

Here is an opportunity not often open to an outside investor. A few subscriptions of $2500 up will be accepted from responsible parties. Unquestionable references exchanged, interview by appointment. Address B, box 322, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

I WANT TO COMMUNICATE WITH A PERson or persons who have or can control $50,000 to $100,000. Have a banking proposition. Also an 8 per cent. accumulative investment. Both propositions are clean-cut and will bear the closest and strictest investigation and are money makers. Particulars given by appointment only. Do not answer unless prepared to invest if convinced of the merit of above propositions. Address F. H., 1230 Trenton st., Los Angeles, Cal.

ADVERTISER HAS FROM $1000 TO $7000 TO invest with services in this locality. The investment must bear investigation. Preference will be given to any concern offering a salaried position for a short period of time to give advertiser satisfactory information concerning the proposed investment. No partnership, nor real estate. Make known your proposition in first letter. Address G, box 251, TIMES OFFICE.

ABOUT THREE OR FOUR OF US ARE buying a tract of land between here and Venice and will turn it over to large company to subdivide. We fully expect to double our money. If you have a good reputation and standing and from $5000 to $10,000, we might let you in with us. References exchanged. Address D, box 335, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

A WELL-ESTABLISHED REAL ESTATE and building corporation needs $75,000 to complete the purchase and to market the very last and finest subdivision in the west part of the city. This proposition will stand the most rigid investigation. Can guarantee big returns. Interview by appointment. Address K, box 28, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BIG MONEY FOR SOME BIG propositions; big men and big brains behind them. Big returns. Get busy at once. SECURITY INVESTMENT CO., 510-11 Citizens' National Bank Bldg. Phones F5194; Broadway 1933.

PHYSICIANS, SURGEONS, WHO ARE willing to invest few hundred dollars in sound hospital proposition; let know their address to B, box 368, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE. Only those who are in earnest need reply.

MANUFACTURER WITH ONE OF THE best paying businesses in U. S., wishes to trade interest in same which will make buyer good income for Los Angeles or suburban property, a fine paying position goes with this to right party. Investigate. NAPP, 509 California Bldg.

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THE TIMES-MIRROR COMPANY.

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BUSINESS CHANCES—
Of Many Kinds Unclassified.

97½ PER CENT. PROFIT
ON YOUR INVESTMENT.
Does that look good on legitimate business proposition? Have exceptionally fine moving picture theater, suburban district, no opposition, and can prove to your satisfaction it will net 97½ per cent. on price asked. We are not forced to sell, account illness, not leaving city, and are not offering a "Sacrifice," but unquestionably the best business opportunity in the West. Both parties interested engaged in other business and will sell, if anyone wants a real bargain in an established money-making theater. Address K, box 58, TIMES OFFICE.

CONFECTIONERY, ONLY $900. RENT $18.50. Sales $30. Can be increased.
DYE WORKS, sell half or all. Making good money.
If you want to buy or sell a business, SEE US SOON.
G. C. DENNIS CO., 227 Security Bldg.

GROCERY AND MARKET, OWNER WILL give a bargain to buyer for cash or trade, daily sales $50; rent $30, only grocer on tract, no competition, good opportunity for good man. Price about $3500.
A5328. J. J. DONOVAN & CO., Bdwy. 836 L. A. Inv. Bldg., 8th and Broadway.

WANTED—LIVE PROGRESSIVE MEN TO join us in a high class improvement proposition that will pay you $250 to $500 per month for your services and 100 per cent. on your investment. For full particulars call 619 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BLDG.

WANTED—PARTNER IN DRUG BUSINESS, have finest location in city, small investment, fine chance for good live man, prefer registered druggist.
A. J. KINZER, 529 Union Oil Bldg.

MOVING PICTURE THEATER, SEATS 200, good residence section; no competition; run two years; long lease, can run three shows nightly; price low. Cash or terms; no commission. Leaving city. Owner, K, box 24, TIMES OFFICE.

PICTURE THEATER, 400 CHAIRS, NOW running, everything first-class; well located, near large shops; thickly settled district; will sell interest or all with small cash payment, balance on time. No agents. PHONE 29913.

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FOR SALE—DELICATESSEN AND GROcery, on good business street, low rent; big money maker, long lease, must sell everything complete.
WILSON & DAGUE,
415 S. Hill st.

LEAVING CITY, MUST BE SOLD THIS week. Money maker. Restaurant, ice cream parlor; business show for self; 3 years' lease, rent only $20 per month, including 5-room modern house, in lively town. 114 SAN FERNANDO ROAD, Tropico, Calif.

FOR SALE—DOCTOR'S CHANCE, WELL ESTablished profitable business that has every opportunity for expansion, 200 per cent.; nominal rent. Address C, box 456, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

CASH GROCERY, LOCATED IN ONE OF the best sections of city, large, clean, living-rooms in rear; doing big business and will give trial to prove same. Big yard and lots of fine chickens; will sell at invoice, about $650. MILLER, 224 Lissner Bldg.

WANTED—TO SELL A ONE-THIRD INterest in a good patent and business, or will sell the entire business, including patent. Open for investigation. Call at 1228 E. NINTH ST.

AN ESTABLISHED FIRM WISHES TO sell their western territory, offering a fine proposition to one or two gentlemen. $5000 needed. 9 to 10 or 4 to 7, HOTEL MUNN, ask for R. W. King.

FOR SALE—MY $4000 GROCERY STORE and feed and fuel yard; rent $40 a month; 5-year lease; up-to-date place and good business, make me a cash offer. Phone WILSHIRE 40, HOME 53319.

LOCATION FOR MEN'S HAT STORE.
One of the best locations in the city for this line. See the SPRING ST. CO., 702 S. Spring st., room 203.

$6000—POOL AND BILLIARD PARLORS. Broadway location makes lease alone worth price asked. Give any kind of trial and show $15 clear daily. See MILLER, 224 Lissner Bldg.

FOR SALE—DRY GOODS AND FURNISHings, good location, clean stock, fine town; stock and fixtures about $3500 to handle. Address K, box 1, TIMES OFFICE.

GOOD CAFE, BEST OF FAMILY TRADE, will stand thorough investigation; no agents. Call JULES CAFE, 707 W. Seventh st.

FOR SALE—SMALL PAYING GROCERY store, cheap rent. Address Fairview Heights Grocery, 1723 14TH ST. Phone Sunset 408W, Santa Monica.

FOR SALE—COUNTRY TIMES ROUTE with 215 subscribers, good horse, buggy cart and harness, will sell cheap. Come and see me. M. C. BRIGGS, Compton, Cal.

CAFE FOR SALE—PAYS NET OVER $200 a month. New, clean equipment; good class patronage. Price only $1200. GARVEY, LINN & CO., Corona, Cal.

CASH GROCERY AND MARKET IN LINE nearby town, $30 to $65 daily receipts. Will give trial to prove as represented. Will invoice. See MILLER, 224 Lissner Bldg.

CONFECTIONERY AND LUNCHES. GIVE trial and show clearing $40 up week. Rent $20 including cottage. MILLER, 224 Lissner Bldg.

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DRUG STORE FOR SALE, INVOICE about $3000, ½ cash, balance real estate. Address owner, residence, 478 E. 49TH ST.

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FOR SALE—A TAILOR SHOP, ESTABLISHed 5 years, doing good business. 674 W. WASHINGTON.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH $1500, MANUfacturing business. Apply 1643 W. WASHINGTON.

FOR SALE—FIRST-CLASS HOME BAKERY, good cash counter business. A bargain. 819 EUCLID AVE.

GROCERY—A BARGAIN, WITH LIVING room. All cash, no delivery. $600. Owner leaving for Denver. 1913 S. GRAND.

DANDY GROCERY, FINE LOCATION, OPposite new school. Bargain if sold at once. Phone BOYLE 2366, (by owner.)

TO LET—FULLY EQUIPPED AUTOMOBILE machine shop and garage. Good location. 1915 S. HOOVER.

WHO WANTS A BARGAIN? LUNCH ROOM, almost given away; must sell by Monday. 841½ S. SPRING.

FOR SALE—RESTAURANT DOING A GOOD business, 35 chairs, best location in city. Call 300 EAST THIRD ST.

MOVING PICTURE OUTFIT CAN BE PURCHASED FOR $150 CASH; COST $300. CHAS. JACOBS, 211 WEST SECOND ST.

FOR SALE — FIRST CLASS LADIES' TAIloring establishment. Inquire 701 PANTAGES THEATER BLDG.

$350, CORNER CASH GROCERY, TWO FURnished living rooms, 3 years' lease. Rent $15. COAST COMPANY, 138½ S. Spring.

FOR SALE — COUNTRY TIMES ROUTE for $500, that will pay $50 to $60 per month. Address J. B. SNYDER, Times Office.

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FOR SALE — LAUNDRY ROUTE WITH auto, $900, clearing 100 per cent. on investment year. F. S. BELL, Hygienic Laundry.

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PRESSING, CLEANING SHOP, ESTABlished business, best location, cheap rent. Price $85. Inquire 507 W. 7TH ST.

GROCERY — $700 BUSINESS, $30 DAILY. well established; rent only $18.50; swell location. REISS REALTY CO., 341 S. Hill.

FOR SALE—LUNCH ROOM, $120, A SNAP, on account of sickness. 332 E. 3RD ST.

FOR SALE — CHEAP, CONFECTIONERY, cigars, news, laundry agency. 821 S. GRAND.

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Of Many Kinds Unclassified.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEES' SALE OF BAKery. Whereas, under and by virtue of the terms of a certain Trust Agreement, it has become necessary in order to carry into effect the provisions thereof, to sell that certain baking business situate in the City of San Diego, State of California, now and heretofore conducted by the SAN DIEGO BAKING COMPANY, a corporation, together with all of the stock, furniture and fixtures, ovens and full baking equipment appertaining thereunto.

Now, therefore, Notice is hereby given that in accordance with the provisions and under the authority of said Trust Agreement, sealed bids for the purchase of said baking business will be received by the Trustees up to and including the 20th day of December, 1912. All bids should be accompanied by cash deposit or certified check in an amount equal to 5 per cent. of the bid submitted. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Terms cash.

The bakery is strictly modern and newly and elaborately furnished throughout. Its entire equipment is first-class and its location one of the best in the city. Inventory of the property involved, together with said Trust Agreement is on file at 403 Union building, San Diego, California, where all bids should be left and all communications addressed.

By order of the Trustees. G. F. HOFF, Secretary, WHOLESALERS' BOARD OF TRADE, 403-4 Union Bldg., San Diego, Cal.

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$150 CASH, $100 TERMS, COTTAGE DELIcacy and grocery, close in east, living-rooms. $200, PART CASH, LUNCH COUNTER on outskirts, rent $10, living-room, snap.
FRUIT STAND, soft drinks, large market, Main street, lease alone worth price asked, $500.
$500—NEAT CORNER GROCERY, $15 daily, 3 rooms and bath, rent $15, a dandy.
$500—LUNCH ROOM and coffee house, $40 daily, heart of industrial district, trial given.
GROCERY, close in, west apartment district, $50 strictly cash daily, no delivery; rent net $25, lease, consider part exchange. $3500.
F. C. SIMPSON, 207½ S. Broadway. Clear Titles Guaranteed. Established 1896.

$475, CASH CORNER GROCERY, 3 ROOMS, rent $20, market fixtures included. Owner's family detained East. See this bargain before buying.
$350, CREAMERY BUTTER AND EGG store, high-class apartment house trade, sales $15 daily, lady can run this.
CASH GROCERY, APARTMENT-HOUSE district, doing $40 daily, no sol. or del. 3 rooms, rent $22, $400 and invoice for quick sale. A money maker.

BAKER — TO OPEN BAKERY IN THRIVING NEW TOWN near Los Angeles, already supporting two grocery stores. Splendid opening for right man. Thousands of dollars of business blocks under construction. See Owensmouth representative, Mr. Thurston, with JANSS INVESTMENT CO., 611-13 S. Hill st.

$4000—ONE OF THE BEST RESTAUrants downtown, with liquor license; doing $100 day. Long lease and cheap rent; this is one of the best located restaurants in the city, and an exceptionally good buy. For further particulars see
W. H. REES, with
O'BRIEN-MEYER CO. 512 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—3 DESKS, CHAIRS, RUGS AND furnishings of well-established real estate business, rent $12.50; desk space rented, pays all expenses, price $150. 209 MERCHANTS TRUST BLDG. Tel. F5454. Broadway 224.

SHOEMAKER—EXPERIENCED SHOE MAN wanted in biggest new town near Los Angeles. Great chance to get in business right. No competition. Splendid opening for a live wire. See Owensmouth representative, JANSS INVESTMENT CO., 611-13 S. Hill st.

HAVE OPENING FOR RELIABLE MAN who can invest $300, with his services in old established business; will pay $150 month, clean light work, no experience necessary. Call 206 S. SPRING ST., Room 353 Wilcox Bldg.

DRUGGIST — GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR live wire in new town of Owensmouth. Two grocery stores doing good business. No drug stores yet. Great activity and building going on. See Owensmouth representative, JANSS INVESTMENT CO., 611-13 S. Hill st.

NOTICE TO STOREKEEPERS AND BUSIness people. If you want to dispose of your business quick, list it with us. We have clients waiting. F2850. MORRIS & VICTOR, 704 Hibernian Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—DYEING AND CLEANing establishment on 17th st. near San Pedro; all machinery included; suitable for any kind of factory; what have you for exchange in good clear lot, mortgages or trust deeds? Price $7500. Call 301 CURRIER BLDG., 212 W. Third.

A HIGH-CLASS INVESTMENT FOR A FEW parties in a wholesale candy manufacturing business, this city; now employing 50 people; doing a good business; earning about 30 per cent. Want to enlarge. See MR. COLTON, Knickerbocker Club.

WANTED—TO SELL CONTROL, PRACTIcally full ownership in printing business with fully equipped up-to-date shop, the biggest bargain ever offered in the printing line. Give phone number. Address K, box 63, TIMES OFFICE.

IF YOU HAVE $700 I WILL GIVE YOU management and half interest in manufacturing business. Salary $150 per month. Myself to look after business on the road. Call 512 S. SPRING, Room 1, 10 a.m. to 5.

A PAYING BUSINESS WANTS ENERgetic man with $300 to take working interest on ground floor basis. Give your telephone for interview. Address C, box 465, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WE HAVE THE BEST BUY IN A PICTURE show in Southern California, 10 cent show, no competition, city of 6000 population, for only $350. MUTUAL REALTY & INV. CO., 223 Exchange Bldg.

CIGAR STAND—$700—CIGAR STAND—
Worth $1000. Is a high-class 2-man stand, front of good bar, 4-year lease, good oak fixtures, cash register and the most stock ever offered for the money. See OWNER, 307 W. 2nd st.

$400 CIGAR STAND, IN HEART OF CITY, sales $20 daily, good lease, a real money maker, no reasonable offer refused; must sell.
WILSON & DAGUE,
415 S. Hill st.

WANTED — WOMAN PREFERRED, WITH $800 capital, for a going manufacturing business; salaried position goes with it; do not apply unless you mean business; best in the country. PHONE BOYLE 2204.

I HAVE TO OFFER AN ABSOLUTELY high class proposition for a few men and women, who have a small amount of money to invest with services. Address K, box 51, TIMES OFFICE.

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Short-time loans made on second trust deeds.
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Rates lower than the lowest.
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Save money.
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IF YOU WANT MONEY
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Current rates.
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You will be agreeably surprised at our liberal methods. No publicity. Nothing unreasonable. Just plain, good business methods. We quickly advance any amount needed on FURNITURE, PIANOS, HORSES, WAGONS, LIVE STOCK, ETC. You can repay us in small monthly or weekly installments to suit your convenience.
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[BY CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BERLIN, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Following the public clinic conducted by Dr. Friedrich Friedmann, discoverer of a reputed cure for and preventive of tuberculosis, the governments of Sweden and Uruguay today officially recognized the Friedmann method.

Minister Masson of Uruguay said he was investigating the Friedmann serum for tuberculosis at the instance of his government. Without information from the Minister, Berlin knew that the daughter of the President of Uruguay is a consumptive and that the President will cause her to be treated by Dr. Friedmann should the report of Mr. Masson be favorable.

Count Taube, the Swedish Minister, said he was prepared to give the Friedmann treatment a practical test and for that purpose had caused a tubercular patient to be brought from Stockholm. He said he would request Dr. Friedmann to treat the patient. A prominent specialist from Santiago, Chile, and a well-known Russian physician from St. Petersburg, were among today's arrivals. They came to investigate the Friedmann discovery.

HOLD-UP ON BROADWAY.

Bold New York Bandit Robs Crowded Express Office and Makes His Escape Quietly.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] While Broadway was crowded with Christmas shoppers and many persons were in the vicinity of the branch express office of Wells Fargo and Company near Fifty-eighth street and Broadway, a man walked quietly into the office to the counter at the rear, poked a revolver at the head of a clerk and then rifled the cash drawer of $77 in cash and money orders, which he stuffed into his pockets. With the revolver still covering his retreat, he backed out and escaped without attracting the attention of passers-by.

Samuel Hickey, the 19-year-old clerk, who was held up, shouted for help the moment the robber passed out of the door, but the gunman mingled with the crowd and was lost by his pursuers.

The thief was familiar with the place as was shown by his quick action in reaching over the counter and removing the revolver from its pocket there. He ejected the shells and tossed the useless weapon to the floor behind the counter, all the time keeping the clerk covered and his hands up.

"Don't move, young fellow, or I'll send you on your last journey," he said to Hickey. Then he went straight to the drawer and had the money out in an instant, gathering up the contents with one hand while holding the pistol with the other, carefully shielding the weapon with his body so that it could not be seen from the street.

LISSNER GOING TO EUROPE.

Los Angeles Man to be One of Progressive Commission to Study European Methods.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Meyer Lissner of California will be a member of the commission of seven that the Executive Committee of the National Progressive party will soon send to Europe to study continental methods of government, according to an announcement today by Senator Dixon, chairman of the committee.

The committee meets in New York tomorrow, when it is expected the complete personnel of the commission will be announced.

Dr. Walter Weyl, New York, and Medill McCormick, and other members of the commission were announced today by Dixon.

SEIZED FOR CUSTOMS.

Trunks of Hollywood Woman Detained at San Francisco for Duty on Silks and Jewelry.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The customs-house officials today detained the trunks of Miss Bella Stevens of Hollywood, Los Angeles, for the payment of duty amounting to $2833 on silks, jewelry and embroidery.

SAYS TAFT WILL ARBITRATE.

New York "World" Declares President Will Submit Toll Question If Agreement Is Not Reached.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] The New York World prints the following special from Washington:

Taft will arbitrate the Panama tolls question if the United States and Great Britain are unable to reach an agreement through diplomatic negotiation.

The President's position on the question is that his administration should do all it can to settle the dispute without having to submit to arbitration but if it is impossible to make any honorable agreements the dispute should be submitted to arbitration.

WILL WED CALIFORNIAN.

Denver Belle to Marry Earl Nash of Santa Monica, Nephew of the Late E. H. Harriman.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DENVER (Colo.) Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Letters from the Coast brought the news to Denver today that Miss Marie Hicklin, who went to Ocean Park for the winter the latter part of September, has decided to make California her permanent home. She will not remain as Miss Marie Hicklin, but as Mrs. Earl Nash. The leaters state that the marriage will take place this evening.

Miss Hicklin has had a prominent place on Denver's social merry-go-round.

Mr. Nash is the scion of a wealthy family of Santa Monica, and a nephew of the late E. H. Harriman.

BLIND ASYLUM A MODEL.

So Says President Irish of State Home at Oakland After Clash With Instigator of Charges.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OAKLAND (Cal.) Dec. 18.—John P. Irish, president of the board of the State home for the adult blind, and John Dondero who is the instigator of the charges that resulted in the present investigation of the conduct of the home, clashed tonight at the hearing of the investigators appointed by Gov. Johnson. It transpired that Dondero had been said to have made the accusation that one of the blind patients had been acting as a sort of a servant at the Irish home.

Mr. Irish denied the accusation and challenged the inquisitors to "produce the man," saying that if any person wouldasseverate that he had been "forced obligated or otherwise to work in or around the Irish home," said person would be "sent to the penitentiary for falsifying." No person was "produced" and Mr. Irish and Mr. Dondero apologised to the investigators and shook hands.

Mr. Irish was questioned as to the food supply and as to medical treatment accorded to the patients. He said that the food was good, and that the medical treatment was good but that the hospital accommodations were not what they should be because of the fact that the last session of the Legislature did not make the appropriation requested.

Wilson P. Hobbs, manager for a meat company; E. A. Young, an Oakland butcher; F. W. Edwards, an Oakland fish dealer, and John Mitchell, an Oakland grocer, all testified that they had supplied provisions to the home and that always the quality was good. They also asserted that never had they supplied to the superintendent of the home food that was in any way superior to that supplied to the inmates.

Mr. Irish said that the home stood as a model for such institutions, not only in the United States but in European countries.

The hearing was adjourned until Monday forenoon.

LIKE MINDS RUN TOGETHER.

Blease Congratulates Donaghey and Threatens to Turn Convicts Lose in South Carolina.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

COLUMBIA (S. C.) Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] "Unless the coming session of the general assembly abolishes the hosiery mill at the penitentiary, South Carolina can look out for an experience similar to that of Arkansas," was the significant remark made by Gov. Blease today in discussing the act of Gov. Donaghey of Arkansas in turning loose 360 convicts yesterday and to whom he today sent a congratulatory telegram.

"The Legislature had better abolish that tuberculosis incubator," continued the Governor. He is bitterly opposed to the hosiery mill at the penitentiary and it has been condemned by the State Board of Health.

DO NOT WANT INDEPENDENCE.

Only 5 Per Cent. of the Philippine People Anxious for Separation Says Manila Educator.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Only about 5 per cent. of the Philippine people desire self-government, according to Dr. C. V. Piper, commissioner of education at Manila, and opponents of self-government agitation in Congress today were preparing to use the statements of the educator in fighting "home rule" legislation. Dr. Piper made his declaration before the Anthropolgical Society yesterday.

NATIONAL TRIBUTE TO REID.

Two of Largest American Battleships to Meet British Dreadnought Carrying Body of Ambassador.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] As a national tribute to the memory of Whitelaw Reid, late American Ambassador to the court of St. James, two of the largest battleships in the Atlantic fleet will be sent to meet the British battleship bearing the body of Reid. The present plan is to have the battleships go to Nantucket. As an additional honor to the dead, it is probable that a salute of nineteen guns will signal the arrival of the British battleship.

The Department of State today sent a telegram to the American Embassy in London asking the date of the departure of the British battleship and the exact time she will be scheduled to arrive in American waters. The information received by the State Department is to the effect that Ogden Mill Reid, son of the late Ambassador, will accompany the body of his father on the battleship.

WILL LEAVE SATURDAY.

[BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Dec. 18.—The United States government officially intimated today its acceptance of the offer made to it by the British government of a British warship to convey the body of the late Ambassador Reid to the United States. It is rumored that the cruiser Natal has been selected and that she will leave Portsmouth on Saturday with the body of Mr. Reid on board.

A military escort will be provided to accompany the coffin from Dorchester House to Victoria station on Saturday morning and it will then be placed on a special train for Portsmouth.

MUST PRODUCE BOOKS.

Despite Refusal, United Railways Will Have to Disclose Finances to State Commission.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—The State Railroad Commission will enforce its demands for a full accounting from the United Railways, the surface traction system which serves San Francisco. In a statement published today the commission says:

"In the case of the Northern California Power Co. this commission laid down the rule that it would ordinarily grant an application for the issuance of securities, regardless of the financial condition of the applicant, if the granting of the application would improve its financial condition, except in those cases where the commission was of the opinion that the applicant was not sound financially, and that, even under the improved condition brought about by the issuance of the securities desired, the entire enterprise would be in a tottering or insolvent condition.

"Necessarily, therefore, where an application such as the one pending herein is made, and it is urged that it should be granted, as a matter of course, because it appears that it would improve the financial condition of the utility, under the rule laid down, it will be necessary for the commission to have a full disclosure of the financial condition of the utility, in order that it may determine whether or not it is in such condition financially that justice to the public would require that none of the obligations be assumed."

The United Railroads refused yesterday to produce its books, in making applications for permision to issue notes in the sum of $2,350,000, pledging as collateral $2,150,000 of Market Street Railway Company bonds.

WALSH WILD CONTEST SETTLED.

Young Widow Who Charged That Late Husband Was Prejudiced Against Her Agrees to Compromise.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN JOSE, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Following the dissolution by stipulation of a temporary injunction against the relatives of the late Patrick M. Walsh and members of the Walsh Company, it was announced today that a settlement "satisfactory to all parties" had been effected between the young widow of the deceased capitalist and her late husband's family. As a result of this settlement, which is a compromise, two suits in equity instituted by Mrs. Walsh and a will contest, all now pending, will be dismissed.

The Walshes were married June 6, 1901, the bride at that time being 20 years of age. P. M. Walsh died May 20, 1912, leaving a will in which he bequeathed his widow about $25,000. More than a year prior to his death on February 13, 1911, he transferred 179 shares of the capital stock of the Walsh Company, said to be valued at $158,000 and producing dividends amounting to $30,000 annually, to his father, Thomas Walsh, who in turn is said to have transferred it to his son-in-law, Philip Foley.

The widow stated that they, in a conspiracy against herself, took advantage of his weakened state to prejudice his mind against her.

WILL CARLETON IS DEAD.

Noted Michigan Author and Poet Passes Away at His Home in Brooklyn.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Will Carleton, widely known as the author of ballads of farm and city life, died tonight at his home, No. 444 Greene avenue, Brooklyn, after three days' illness of bronchial pneumonia. He had complained of ill-health for about a week, but his death was very unexpected.

Carleton was born in Hudson, Mich., October 21, 1845. He graduated from Hillsdale College, in the class of 1869. For several years after leaving college he engaged in newspaper work in Hillsdale, Detroit, Chicago, Boston and New York. Recently he has been editor of "Everywhere," a monthly magazine published in Brooklyn. Carleton was well known as a reader and lecturer, not only in the United States, but also in Europe. He read chiefly from his own works. Among his works are "Farm Ballads," "Farm Legends," "Farm Festivals," "Young Folks' Rhymes," "City Ballads," "City Legends," "City Festivals," "Rhymes of Our Planet" and "The Old Infant and Similar Stories."

TO STRENGTHEN REPUBLICANS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—Plans to rehabilitate and strengthen the Republican party in Illinois were discussed today at a conference of party leaders called by Gov. Deneen. The Governor came out in favor of reapportioning the representation from Southern States in Republican national conventions.

THE CITY
AND ENVIRONS.

TODAY AND TONIGHT.

THEATERS.

Auditorium—"The Great Raymond".. 8:15 p.m.
Burbank—"A Romance of the Underworld" .....2:15 and 8:15 p.m.
Century—"A Jolly Old Time" ..... 7:45 and 9:25 p.m.
Clune's Grand—Pictures and special-ties ..... 11:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.
Empress—Vaudeville ..... 2:30, 7:35 and 9:00 p.m.
Egyptian—"In God's Country" ..... 8:15 p.m.
Majestic—"The Confession" ..... 8:25 p.m.
Mason—"Alaska-Siberia" Pictures ..... 8:15 p.m.
Monart—Pictures ..... 1 to 5, 7 to 11:00 p.m.
Orpheum—Vaudeville ..... 2:00 and 8:00 p.m.
Pantages—Vaudeville ....2:30, 7:30 and 9:00 p.m.
Tally's New Broadway ..... Continuous

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BUREAU OF INFORMATION.

Times Branch Office, No. 417 South Spring street.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

To San Diego.

A large portion of the board of directors have accepted the invitation of the Panama-California Exposition management to be its guests in San Diego next Sunday, and will leave here on a special train at 9:10 Sunday morning.

Room for Six More.

All reservations for the Chamber of Commerce Panama Excursion have been taken with the exception of six, making a party of forty-four. From inquiries which have been made, the balance of reservations will probably be taken within a few days.

Kicked by Horse.

An inch fracture of the skull over the left eye was sustained yesterday by Scott Markley, 48 years old, of No. 1259 Wall street, when he was kicked by a horse in his stable at No. 839 Vincent street. Receiving Hospital surgeons do not consider his injury serious, unless complications arise.

Capital Goes South.

Immigration Inspector Connell who, with other Los Angeles men, is interested in a big tract of valuable farming land in the vicinity of Culiacan and Ramos, Mex., left for the south yesterday with a party of St. Louis investors. They will be away ten days. The eastern visitors are headed by J. M. Drummond, head of the tobacco firm of that name. The holdings cover many thousand acres and, with the close of the troubles in that part of Mexico, much capital has been attracted there.

New Levy Cafe Open.

The New Levy Cafe at No. 115 West Seventh street was opened at noon yesterday under the management of Al Levy, formerly proprietor of the establishment now known as the Richelieu at Third and Main streets. That the new restaurant is to be a rendezvous for fashionables was evidenced by the assemblage of smartly-gowned women and men who took luncheon, dinner and midnight supper at Levy's new place. Levy's popularity has not waned.

Brotherhood Banquet.

Artifex Lodge, Fraternal Brotherhood, held its annual banquet last night at Brink's Cafe, where fifty members of the order gathered for an evening's enjoyment. George S. Carruthers, chairman of the Committee on Arrangements, knew the cravings of his fellow lodge members and there was no disappointment in the "feed" prepared for consumption. President J. K. Hawk, Secretary George P. Cook and Treasurer J. H. Fontaine responded to toasts.

Women Lawyers' Luncheon.

"The Legal Lights," an organization of women students and alumnae of the University of Southern California College of Law, will meet at luncheon at the University Club today. This is the "Legal Lights'" second social function of the school year. Litta B. Hibben is president, May Lahey, vice-president, and Ruth Black, secretary. There are thirty-five women students in the law school now and, with the alumnae, it is believed nearly 100 will attend the luncheon.

Where Is Clyde Flower?

The police were notified yesterday of the unexplained disappearance last Friday evening of Clyde Destin Flower of No. 524 West Third street. The young man was employed as a collector by the Southern California Edison Company up to the day of his departure. Flower is 21 years old, 5 feet 6 inches tall, weighs 124 pounds, black hair, blue eyes, wore a dark blue suit, brown flannel shirt, gray crush hat, low shoes. His friends, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cleveland of Third and Olive streets, are anxious to locate him.

Old and New New England.

Dr. George S. Kengott, recently from Lowell, Mass., will be the principal speaker at the meeting of the New England Society Saturday evening. "The Old and New New England" will be his subject. Mrs. Louise Bitter will sing by request. This is the annual celebration of what the New Englanders call "Forefathers' Day," being the anniversary date of the landing of the Pilgrims at Plymouth, December 21, 1620. The supper will be at the Federation clubrooms at the Wright & Callender building, Fourth and Hill streets, at 7 p.m., and reservations should be made in advance with the secretary, D. E. Bowman, whose office is in the Mason building. The Pine Tree State Association will be held at the same time and place.

Rates for Grazing.

Supervisor Charlton of the Angeles National Forest, has received an authorization from the Secretary of Agriculture covering the grazing leasing privilege in the nine districts comprised in the local forest reserve for the coming year. The season, from April 1, 1913, to November 15, is to bring 37 cents a head for cattle and 49 cents for horses; from October 16, 1913 to March 31, 1914, 27 and 36 cents, respectively; for the year term beginning April 1, 1913, 50 and 65 cents, respectively. Under the order no contracts for grazing sheep, goats or hogs will be received. A total of 4300 cattle and horses will be accommodated.

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BREVITIES.

The Los Angeles Art Leather Company is selling all lines of leather goods at less than cost. Call at the factory and buy Christmas gifts in leather for one-half. Open from 8 a.m. till 5:30 p.m. Los Angeles Art Leather Co., No. 128 E. Ninth st.

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Andirons, grates, gas logs, etc., sold at reduced prices. Frey's Mantel House, 1152 South Los Angeles St.

The Times Branch Office, No. 619 S. Spring st. Advertisements and subscriptions taken.

Dr. F. W. Bassett removed to 1006 California Bldg. Phones A2496, Main 9256.

VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

ABBOTT—COLLIER. Edward M. Abbott, 46; Anna E. Collier, 44.
ALAUZET—REYMAN. Louis L. Alauzet, 28; Ruby I. Heyman, 24.
BARNER—SEIVERT. George W. Barner, 28; Lillian Seivert, 28.
BARNEY—HENDRICKSON. George W. Barney, 49; Ollie J. Hendrickson, 46.
BRADLEY—WINN. Thomas A. Bradley, 29; Lizzie B. Winn, 25.
BUTTON—MAIL. Charles W. Button, 29; Myrtle S. Hall, 24.
CAMPBELL—RODMAN. Aubery Campbell, 21; Lillie Rodman, 20.
CEDERGREN—JACKSON. Harry R. Cedergren, 22; Jennette Jackson, 22.
CLARK—GOTT. John M. Clark, 42; Ruby P. Gott, 22.
COKER—GLADE. Samuel M. Coker, 25; Sadie Glade, 20.
COLAVIN—TOFFOLI. Antonio Colavin, 47; Angela Toffoli, 32.
EDMONDS—AHRENS. Henry W. Edmonds, 29; Bessie A. Ahrens, 22.
EGELUND—WINTHER. John W. J. Egelund, 29; Elise C. Winther, 28.
ELGIN—YOUNG. Walter A. Elgin, 22; Margret R. Young, 24.
HADDOCK—McLEOD. Judson T. Haddock, 51; Carrie I. McLeod, 42.
HAND—HARDING. George H. Hand, 22; Vera M. Harding, 18.
HARROLD—WATERS. Pearl J. Harrold, 22; Edythe Waters, 23.
HODGE—WESTER. Isaiah D. Hodge, 62; Emmly Wester, 46.
HOLDERBACH—BARNEICH. Jones Holderbach, 21; Grace Barneich, 22.
HOLMES—AKERS. Alvin E. Holmes, 24; Blanche A. Akers, 20.
HOUSTON—BELLMAN. Henry B. Houston, 24; Lona Bellman, 19.
HRUGER—WELDE. Richard Hruger, 20; Rosie Welde, 19.
IRWIN—TURNER. William O. Irwin, 22; Mary F. Turner, 18.
JORDAN—BRAINERD. Harry W. Jordan, 29; Olive M. Brainerd, 28.
JORGENSEN—HANSON. Chris W. Jorgensen, 52; Essie C. Hanson, 28.
KINDLE—MATTHEWS. August C. Kindle, 36; Katherine M. Matthews, 30.
LEU—COURTNEY. Charles A. Leu, 32; Emma M. Courtney, 29.
McCAN—LOWER. James J. McCan, 31; Lottie Lower, 25.
McDEARMAN—KLINE. Orrick McDearman, 21; Helen L. Kline, 24.
McNABB—RUCKMAN. Frank E. McNabb, 24; Mary Ruckman, 21.
MEYERS—CONN. Hisko C. Meyers, 32; Gladys M. Conn, 24.
MILLS—MILLS. George Mills, 46; Della Mills, 39.
MISICK—REINHART. Guy E. Misick, 24; Etta Reinhart, 28.
MITCHELL—COCKROFT. Richard R. Mitchell, 23; Ada M. Cockroft, 22.
NASH—HICKLIN. Earle H. Nash, 21; Marie H. Hicklin, 19.
ORMAN—ANDERSON. William F. Orman, 27; Lillian Anderson, 25.
PARKS—McCARTY. Walter W. Parks, 35; Mary N. McCarty, 28.
PHILLIPS—JONES. Clifton C. Phillips, 22; Ophelia Jones, 22.
PIERI—GUIDI. Paul Pieri, 21; Henrietta Guidi, 18.
PLIMPTON—KELLER. R. H. Plimpton, 22; Mary J. Keller, 20.
PRITCHARD—CATLOR. Jess G. Pritchard, 25; Belle Caylor, 27.
REPOLE—CIACCIO. Michele Repole, 32; Concetta Ciaccio, 18.
ROBERTS—WALGREN. Ernest L. Roberts, 23; Rose Walgren, 18.
ROBERTSON—ELLIS. Dandy E. Robertson, 27; Mary E. Ellis, 19.
SHORES—RAMSEY. William H. Shores, 28; Alta La V. Ramsey, 22.
STONE—ASH. Cecil Stone, 29; Edith S. Ash, 27.
WHITE—LOCKE. John W. F. White, 32; Lucile Locke, 23.
WHITMER—HOCKENBERG. William C. Whitmer, 19; M. Estelle Hockenberg, 17.
WOOD—PRITCHARD. William B. Wood, 47; Charlotte E. Pritchard, 34.
WORLEY—TELFAIR. William B. Worley, 41; Bernardine Telfair, 29.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

ERNEST, Mr. and Mrs. William, Daughter, 360 East Thirty-seventh street, December 10.
NEWMAN, Mr. and Mrs. Martin J. Boy, 1321 East Forty-first street, December 11.
WILLIAMSON, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Daughter, 3233 Boas street, December 12.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

LIVINGOOD, Walter C. against Cora.
STOKELEY, Florence against Joseph.
TOBISCH, Rose against John.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

GRIFFITHS, Mary A. from Dias M.
KHELLER, Jennie F. from Paul J.
PATTON, Carrie G. from Edwin J.
STAUFFER, L. Alice from W. W.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Name and place of death—	Age.	Date.
ALVARADO, Josefa R., Los Angeles	75	17
ANDERSON, James I., Los Angeles	69	15
BARICH, Paul, Los Angeles	1	17
BISHOP, Sarah S., Los Angeles	83	16
BOOTH, George W., Los Angeles	81	16
DE LANEY, Clarence, Los Angeles	22	14
ELLIOTT, Francis, Los Angeles	25	17
HANSON, John, Los Angeles	47	16
LONG, Richard, Los Angeles	41	17
PLAISTED, Charles A., Los Angeles	55	16
RIGHTER, John S., Los Angeles	55	14
RUBEN, Marcus, Los Angeles	79	16
WHITFIELD, Mary F., Los Angeles	38	16
YAEGER, Benjamin S., Los Angeles	27	15

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

CARTER. At No. 1128 Maltman street, December 16, 1912, Laura Thomas, wife of Arthur F. Carter and daughter of the late Milton and Elizabeth E. Thomas, aged 48 years. Now resting with Jesus.
Funeral at the chapel of Breese Brothers, 852 Figueroa street, Thursday at 10 o'clock. Friends invited.

ELLIOTT. At his residence, No. 362 West Forty-seventh place, December 17, Francis Elliott, aged 25 years, 11 months and 1 day.
Funeral services Thursday at 2 p.m. from Sutch's funeral parlors, No. 942 South Figueroa street. Friends invited.

FERNHABER. At No. 2329 Bonsallo avenue, December 15, Earnest Fernhaber, a native of Germany, aged 53 years.
Funeral services at John R. Paul's chapel, No. 2031 North Broadway, Friday, 2 p.m. Friends invited. Cremation, Evergreen Cemetery.

HURLEY. In this city, December 17, Timothy Hurley, aged 33 years.
Remains at the parlors of Pierce Bros. & Co. Funeral notice later.

KOEHLER. December 13, Maria Anna Koehler, dearly beloved mother of Ernest S. Holling, aged 61 years.
Funeral, 10 a.m. Friday, from the chapel of J. H. Riedeman, No. 1420 South Main street. Interment, Evergreen Cemetery.

NORTON. At No. 573 South Boyle avenue, Mrs. Mary R. Norton, aged 82 years.
Funeral from the Hollenbeck Home chapel Friday, December 20, at 2 p.m. Interment, Evergreen Cemetery.

POPPLEWELL. December 12, Mrs. Ann Popplewell, beloved mother of Mrs. T. F. Joyce, aged 74 years.
Funeral from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. T. F. Joyce, No. 2201 West Seventh street, Friday, December 20, at 8 a.m. Requiem mass at Church of Our Lady of Angels (Plaza) at 9 a.m. Interment, Calvary Cemetery.

SAYRE. December 17, 1912, Charles L. Sayre, aged 51 years.
Remains at chapel of Garrett & Co. Interment, Utica, N. Y.

SCHLEGEL. December 12, at No. 137 South Flower, Susana Schlegel, dearly beloved mother of Mrs. Anna Furrer and Mrs. Elise Heitzmann, aged 82 years.
Friends are invited to attend the funeral, 2 p.m. Friday, from the German M. E. Church, Fifth and Olive streets. Interment, Rosedale Cemetery.

SONNEMAN. At her late residence, No. 220 Resh street, Anaheim, Cal., December 13, Mrs. William F. Sonneman, aged 79 years.
Funeral Friday at 3 o'clock from Backs & Terry's chapel. Friends invited.

STEARNS. At No. 1202 North Commonwealth avenue, December 15, 1912, Mary A. Stearns, aged 89 years.
Remains at Breese Brothers. Notice of funeral later.

TERRY. In this city, December 16, Harriett E. Terry, aged 57 years.
Funeral from the chapel of Pierce Bros. & Co., Friday, December 20, at 2 p.m.

WHITFIELD. In this city, December 16, at No. 1320 South Burlington avenue, Mary F. Whitfield, beloved mother of Claire Montgomerie.
Remains at the chapel of Garrett & Co. Services private at Rosedale chapel today (Thursday) at 11 a.m. (San Diego, Cal., and Cincinnati, O., papers please copy.)

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to thank the many friends who attended the funeral of my late wife, Caroline Strathmann, for their many expressions of sympathy, also for the beautiful floral offerings, and especially Rev. Paul Branke for his beautiful words of comfort at the funeral service. HERMANN STRATHMANN.

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OPPOSITION NOT LOOKED FOR IN THE DEAL.

President of Central National Says Stockholders and Directors Seem Favorable, but That Month Will Probably Be Required to Notify All of Them.

The proposed absorption of the Central National Bank by the Security Trust and Savings Bank has not yet been ratified by the stockholders of the former institution.

S. F. Zombro, president of the Central National Bank, stated yesterday that the stockholders seen by him expressed approval, and the directors, with the exception of two who were out of town, also favored it. "Our stockholders, of whom there are about 180, are scattered all over the country, and it will require weeks before they can be notified and vote," said Zombro.

M. S. Hellman, vice-president of the Security Trust and Savings Bank, stated that the deal is still in an embryonic state. He said the terms will in all probability be equivalent to the giving of one share of Security stock for two of Central National. J. F. Sartori, president of the institution, admitted that he had made propositions to several banks in this city, but refused to reveal which they are.

The Central National Bank, which has resources approximating $3,400,000, is capitalized at $300,000, has a surplus of $300,000, undivided profits of about $51,500, a circulation of between $107,000 and $105,000, and deposits of nearly $3,000,000. The stock has been quoted around $235, until yesterday, when there was a small advance. The stock of the Security, which has resources aggregating nearly $47,000,000, has been quoted at $455. It is believed probable that the deal will net the Central National Bank stockholders a slight bonus.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are telegrams at the Western Union office for Thomas L. Matkins, Jr., Callahan Sales Company, R. H. Gibeon, J. Frederick Torma, Mrs. Lynn Coleman, W. Roche, Wallace, E. A. Abbott, Richard A. Parker, M. M. Fernandez Company, Mr. Gafeno, Mrs. E. Pilrippen, Lot Swetland, L. W. McArthur, Triplex Manufacturing Company, John S. Adair, Mrs. M. E. Masters, Mrs. Edward Palmer, Mrs. M. Folsom, C. E. Reed, F. W. Hadley, Mrs. Clyde Lewis, Ecleen McCarthy, Pete Pauliseen, George H. Bunker, Irving Shumann, Adam Long and Mrs. Maurice Douglas.

At the Postal: S. Hayata, Capt. A. D. Smith, J. E. Howard, Frank Allo, C. W. Ayers, M. R. King, Frank Richards and Will Barnard.

THROWN FROM HORSE.

EXETER, Dec. 16.—Mrs. D. A. Cuthbert of Three Rivers is lying in a critical condition at the Ward ranch at Lemon Cove, as the result of injuries received when her saddle horse ran away and threw her to the road. Mr. and Mrs. Cuthbert were riding from Three Rivers to the Cove, Mrs. Cuthbert carrying her 7-year-old daughter. Startled at something beside the road the horse reared and unseated Mrs. Cuthbert, throwing her headlong and injuring her about the head. The little girl retained her seat and clung desperately to the saddle while the horse ran madly for over a mile further down the road. Mrs. Cuthbert has been unconscious since the accident and her injuries are grave.

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EXPERT INSPECTS TREES.

PORTERVILLE, Dec. 18.—Prof. H. S. Fawcett, the fungus expert in the employ of the State Horticultural Commission, has completed an inspection of the Central California orange groves at the request of A. G. Schultz, the commissioner of this county. Prof. Fawcett states that in his opinion the orange orchards of the Central California district are free from all manner of fungus diseases. To make sure beyond a doubt, Prof. Fawcett took back with him to his laboratory in Whittier a large number of cuttings which will be given a detailed examination under microscopes. Schultz asked for the inspection at this time particularly by reason of a report which had gained some currency that wither-tip, an obscure fungus disorder, had gained some footing in the orange grove district. This report appears to have been without foundation.

REPLACING RAIL.

VISALIA, Dec. 18.—Crews of track layers are at work today replacing between this city and Goshen the light steel which has been in use by the Southern Pacific Railroad. Standard ninety-pound steel of the latest pattern is to be laid. Officials of the railroad promise that running time of passenger trains between Visalia and Goshen will be reduced from twenty-two to twelve minutes after the improvement is completed.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAMME.

The First Congregational Church will hold its annual Christmas entertainment in the main auditorium of the church tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock, members of the Sunday-school and congregation participating. Judge Wilbur will officiate as prophet of the occasion. Others in the interesting programme planned are A. Gentry, Rev. Harold F. Tuttle and A. B. Chittenden. Music will be furnished by the choir and the orchestra.

TO PREACH TONIGHT.

Rev. B. Carradine will preach at Peniel Hall, No. 227 South Main street, this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

THE TIMES' MIDWINTER NUMBER will be issued on January 1 next. This widely read issue, containing 192 pages, consisting of six illustrated magazine parts, with illuminated covers and copiously illustrated throughout, has always proved a profitable medium for classified advertisers, especially to those desiring to sell or exchange country real estate and city residences, or to exploit business chances and investments. The country-wide circulation of the forthcoming Midwinter Number will exceed 200,000 copies, and the issue will afford display and classified advertisers a splendid opportunity to reach thousands of homeseekers and investors. Classified advertisements, 6 cents a word. Minimum charge, $1. Copy must be in Times Office before December 20, 1912. Display advertising rates furnished on application.
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FRIDAY, DEC. 20, AT 10 A.M.
$5000 stock of the Pasadena Gas Appliance Co. will be sold at public auction on the above date in the Old Hamburger Bldg. LOS ANGELES AUCTION CO.

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Thursday, Dec. 19, at 10 a.m., at 114-16 COURT ST., entire $4000 stock and fixtures, novelties, tooled leather goods, shells, etc., at SUGARMAN TRADE AUCTIONEERS.

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THE social season of 1912-13 had its opening and its apotheosis last evening in the ballroom of the Alexandria. There the first subscription ball given since 1910 assembled the social elect amid a setting of rich simplicity, an effective background for what connoisseurs aver to be the most magnificent and costly display of gowns and jeweled accessories ever adorning a similar function in the brilliant social history of the city.

The event marks the formal opening of the winter season; a culmination of the important preliminaries of the fall months; the first of a series of two similar entertainments, the second to be given on January 22. It was as well the initial coming together of the season's charming debutantes who were present as special guests. These included Miss Aileen McCarthy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Avery McCarthy of Norton avenue; Miss Marjorie Ramsay, daughter of Mrs. William A. Ramsay of Western avenue; Miss Georgie Off, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. A. Off of the Darby; Miss Katherine Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Johnson, Jr., of West Twenty-eighth street; the Misses Margaret and Louise Fleming, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Fleming of West Twenty-eighth street; Miss Lillian Van Dyke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Martin Van Dyke of West Adams street; Miss Katherine Barbour, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. J. H. Barbour of West Twenty-eighth street; Miss Albertine Pendleton, daughter of Senator and Mrs. Cornelius Wells Pendleton of St. Andrews' place, and Miss Laura Almada, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Almada of Wilshire boulevard.

THREE HUNDRED PRESENT.

Three hundred invitations were issued, a limit fixed by the capacity of the ballroom, and not intended to fix a social dead line similar to the famous New York "400" of Ward McAlister. The limit, however, added to the exclusiveness of the affair, an exclusiveness augmented by the cost for the two balls, it is understood, of $50 per couple for matrons and paters familias, and $30 for the "younger set" for the two dances. This charge includes only the supper and decorations, and with usual and necessary accessories establishes a new high water mark in Los Angeles social finances.

The keynote of the ball was struck in the single word "simplicity," to which might be added its sister expressions, "dignity" and "formality." The simplicity, however, extended only to the decorations which consisted exclusively of an exquisite arrangement, under tutored hands, of white and pink cyclamen, a hothouse offspring of the stately orchid and the modest sweet pea.

Sprayed over a background of delicate foliage the wax-like petals hung about the ballrooms like costly works of art, suspended by broad American beauty ribbons and reflecting the soft lights almost ethereally. No palms, no set pieces marred the chasteness of the unique scheme.

Downstairs, in the main dining-rooms where supper was served at midnight, the cyclamen were pink. Each table had its potted centerpiece from which radiated ribbons of the same color, the effect individually or

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Light, Life, Beauty in Fair Setting.

Charming Figures That Graced Last Evening's Ball,

The first of the subscription dances at the Alexandria. It was the formal opening of the winter season and for brilliance and exclusiveness the function has had few equals in the social annals of the city.

Who'll Carry It Out?

HIS LAST WISH TO LIE BESIDE WIFE HERE.

WHO is there among the older residents of Los Angeles to remember as a former friend D. V. Waldron and take sufficient interest in the last wishes of this man to see that his body is laid to rest beside that of his wife in the Laurel Hill cemetery?

Almost half a century ago Waldron was a man of considerable means in this city. He formerly owned the Washington Gardens, and took an active part in some street railway development, land opening and other large affairs of that period, but later he lost his property, and after his wife's death drifted to Alaska.

Waldron was burned to death at Valdez on November 15, his bed having caught fire from an electric bulb placed therein for warmth. He was 89 years old. His friends there have appealed to City Auditor John S. Myers to see whether the Knights of Pythias of this city will carry out Waldron's oft-expressed wish to have his body brought back here and interred beside that of his wife, in the Laurel Hill cemetery.

He left a small property at Valdez, but this will be about all used to meet his last expenses, and it is estimated that $500 will be required to carry out his wishes.

Waldron was a member of Olive Lodge, Knights of Pythias, which was merged years ago into Marathon Lodge No. 182; but he lost his standing with the old lodge years ago, although he continued to carry his Pythian charm and in his last days turned his thoughts to the lodge which he did not know was out of existence.

The Pythians say they have no funds available for bringing the body back to Los Angeles. If any of his old-time friends wish to do so, they can communicate with City Auditor Myers in regard to helping pay these expenses.

GRUB STAKE PUT OFF.

Show Cause Order Against Woman Miner and Her Family Postponed Till Next Month.

The order to show cause in the "grub stake" action brought by T. Frank Turner of Reno, against Kate J. Wells, the Ironsides Mining Reduction and Leasing Company, Mrs. E. R. Shookman, George L. Arnold and C. J. Hickman set for hearing in Judge Wellborn's court, yesterday, has been postponed until January 6.

An important affidavit was filed in the case that may have some bearing on the outcome of the contest, by J. F. Creel, one of the parties to the grub stake claim whose interest in the enterprise has since been purchased by Turner. It appears from this document that in February, 1912, when Creel alleged he met A. W. Wells at Lone Pine, Inyo county, the latter admitted that, while under the grub stake agreement, he (Wells) had made discoveries and locations in the name of Mrs. A. W. Wells, Kate J. Wells, Burgess T. Robinson and Harold E. Robinson (sons-in-law of Wells,) and had had the same recorded at Independence, Inyo county.

The order issued by Judge Wellborn against the defendants is that they come into court and agree that Turner is entitled to a two-thirds interest in the valuable mining claims located by A. W. Wells; that the defendants render an accounting of the profits of the enterprise and that they be restrained from selling, conveying or incumbering the property.

By the Citizens.

AMEND PRESENT CHARTER, PLAN.

No Time to Redraft It, Is Committee's Verdict.

Fifteen Will Be Named to Rush Work Through.

Chamber of Commerce Votes Not to Mix In.

On the theory that the constitutional time limit will not admit of an attempt to draft a new city charter in time to insure its being acted upon at the coming session of the Legislature, the recently enlarged Executive Committee of the General Citizens' Committee of One Thousand, determined yesterday that the best results will be obtained by preparing and submitting certain needed amendments to the present document. Chairman Bradner W. Lee was empowered to appoint a sub-committee of fifteen, to be known as the Charter Revision Committee, the duties of this committee being to prepare such amendments.

At the first meeting of the Executive Committee of Fifty in Symphony Hall yesterday it was agreed that, in order to facilitate matters and obtain immediate results, the task of drafting amendments to the charter must be delegated to a smaller body. Upon motion of George N. Black, president of the State Realty Federation, the sub-committee was created with instructions to report the results of its activities to the Executive Committee of Fifty. The plan, as outlined in the discussion, is for the sub-committee to apportion the work among the members, an effort being made to secure the appointment of experts for handling the various matters that will be necessarily considered before

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Welcome.

TEJON ROUTE DECISION WARMLY APPROVED HERE.

Selection of Direct-line Way for State Highway Between Los Angeles and Bakersfield Over Longer and More Costly Tehachepi Road Ends Long Controversy. New Link in a Great Chain.

DISPATCHES to yesterday's Times gave the news that the Tejon route for the State highway between Los Angeles and Bakersfield has been selected instead of the Tehachepi route, following a long-drawn-out conference at Sacramento between the Governor, the advisory board of the State engineering department and the State Highway Commission. This definitely ends a controversy which has been going on ever since the route was spoken of as a link in the chain of good roads which are to span the State in every direction. The decision also completes the entire route of roads between Sacramento and Los Angeles.

The decision was finally made in favor of the Tejon route, on account of the latter's superiority and because Kern county is preparing to float a good-roads bond issue of $3,500,000 for improvement to supplement the building of the State Highway in that county. It will probably arrange to improve the Tehachepi route without outside assistance, now that the ultimate word has been said in the matter. The matter of saving $500,000 by choosing the Tejon route, which is almost a direct line between the desired points, and more than fifty miles shorter, had much weight with the commission.

THE ADVANTAGES.

Only one range will have to be crossed by this route, the highest elevation reaching 4000 feet, while over the other route it would have been necessary to cross two ranges of approximately the same height. The exact distance of the Tejon road will be less than 125 miles, while that over the Tehachepi would have reached 175 miles. It was only after hearing all of these things, inspecting the reports of experts, weighing hundreds of affidavits favoring both routes, that the commission decided that of the Tejon as most practical, direct and least expensive.

Well informed citizens of Los Angeles are congratulating the commission and the engineers on the wisdom of their decision. Percy Clark who, with L. C. Gates, and a number of othen citizens, fought the Tehachepi scheme before the Supervisors last August, was jubilant over the outcome. "The money saved on this one stretch of work alone will enable the State to add another fifty or 100 miles to its proposed highway system," he declared.

"Any deviation from the straightest road in this instance would have meant many other concessions on the part of the State Highway Commission. The statute requires as nearly as possible a bee line between cities or towns for which the road is primarily intended and had the commission decided in favor of the Tehachepi, they would have nullified this and would have justified every cross-road village in demanding a change in the road construction so that it would touch the village and would result in a road so crooked that the crooked man who walked a crooked mile in childhood lyrics, could not even have arrived at his desired destination."

The contention that the route now

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Educational.

ECONOMY ON A VACATION.

Educator Has a Spell of Hard Hits and Fads.

Children Are Overloaded, Says Another Speaker.

Formal Opening of Teachers' Association Today.

David P. Barrows, ex-Superintendent of Schools in the Philippines and at present a professor in the State University, spoke yesterday afternoon before a meeting of men teachers held in the State Normal auditorium. He took for his subject, "Suggestions Concerning the State Administration."

He declared that, while the government and municipalities in general have been in the crucible, "the State government has incited attention and escaped scrutiny and criticism;" that it is extravagant and no curb is placed on expenditures.

"I have come to the conclusion," he said, "that the administration of the State of California is excessively poorly organized. It is the result either of the officers elected or of the bureau type of administration, though the latter is but meagerly used in this State."

He advocated placing the entire business of the State under the control of six boards of experts, who should form a cabinet for the Governor; declared that the Governor should be given power to remove every official, if he saw fit, and closed by advocating the passage of a civil-service law that would take the right of classification from the city and county and place it in the hands of a board appointed by the Governor. That would be civil service with a vengeance! All the appointees would come from the seat of the examiners, or most of them, as it would involve expense of time and money that many could not afford. Imagine, too, Los Angeles sending to San Francisco when a laborer is wanted on the aqueduct, or San Francisco sending to Los Angeles when a man is wanted to dig a ditch for the city street department!

OVERLOAD IN EDUCATION.

H. A. Adrian spoke at the same general session upon the topic, "The Overload in Education," in which he outlined a certain well-known magazine that "has knocked out our entire educational system at one blow." Among other things, he said:

"We must have a hand-made suit for every individual. We must not be bound by the ideals of the fathers for they had no means of knowing what is good for us.

"Children of the seventh grade are taking twelve different subjects. How many of you men can conduct twelve different kinds of business? If we were to cut out all the things that are of no use in the life of the pupil we should make a great advance."

The speaker did an unusual thing in denouncing "Uncle Tom's Cabin." "It is a book that has no business in the school," he said. "It is a book not of one land but of two," and, strange to say, the sentiment was applauded.

"Only one thing is essential," he continued, "the English language and its masterpieces and then the things that the child needs. We should largely use the newspapers. 'Oh,' you say, 'they are not fit.' I say they are printing the things the people want, and if they are not fit for the schools, whose fault is it? They are the great educators of the time."

Only women attended the general session in Temple Auditorium in the afternoon and listened to a talk by Dr. Laura D. Bennett.

THE PANAMA CANAL.

The morning session of the city and county institute was entirely taken up by a lecture, with pictures, given by Dr. James A. Cronkhite of this city, who visited the canal zone. Perhaps one of the most startling statements that Dr. Cronkhite made, and one that caused many teachers to sit up and take notice, was that of a general direction of the canal is from northwest to southwest, in passing from the Atlantic to the Pacific. That is to say, the city of Colon is farther north and farther west than the city of Panama. Everybody knows it, but it is difficult to think of it in that way. He said the sun seems to rise on the Pacific and set on the Atlantic. It is safe to guess that one-half his audience went home last night and looked at the map. Another interesting statement was that the variation of the tide on the Atlantic, at Colon, is twenty-two inches, while at Panama, on the Pacific, it is twenty-two feet—ten feet higher at flood time and ten feet lower at ebb-tide.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The opening concert of the Southern California Teachers' Association was held last night in the Polytechnic auditorium. The vocal music was by Mrs. Stanley Ross Fisher, accompanied by France Woodmansee. Miss Winifred Roberts gave several readings and Dr. Henry Susallo spoke on "Training for Citizenship and Democracy."

The association will be formally opened in Temple Auditorium this morning at 9:30 o'clock, preceded by an organ recital by Ray Hastings on the great Auditorium organ, and a "boost" for permanent grand opera in Los Angeles. The association programme will consist of a whistling solo by Elmer Rudeen, reading by Ernest Crozier Phillips, and an address by Henry Turner Bailey.

At 11 o'clock this morning there will be a meeting of the elementary teachers and a business meeting of the Schoolmasters' Club in Choral Hall. At the same hour the Classical Association of Southern California will meet in the Los Angeles High School auditorium and the High School section will meet in the State Normal auditorium.

The association concert will be given in Temple Auditorium in the afternoon, admission by ticket only. The programme will be given by Mme. Gerville-Reache, contralto, and Frederick Preston Search, 'cellist.

Search attracts some attention as a former Los Angeles boy, his father having been superintendent of the city schools here seventeen years ago, when the boy was but 8 years old. He comes back declared to be one of the greatest young 'cello players in the world.

The banquet of the Southern California Schoolmasters' Club, of which Everett Shepardson of the State Normal School is president, will be given this evening at the Cafe Richelieu. After-dinner speeches will be made by guests from outside California, and Judge Wilbur will speak on "The Juvenile Court and the Schools."

Frederick Preston Search,
Violoncello soloist, who will play before teachers this afternoon.

Two in One.

BANKS COMBINE IN NEW YEAR.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS FOOD THEIR INTERESTS.

National Bank of Commerce and Home Savings Bank to Be Consolidated in Larger Quarters With Increased Capital Stock and Four Million Dollars in Deposits.

Announcement was made yesterday afternoon by F. M. Douglass, president of the National Bank of Commerce, Second and Main streets, of the impending consolidation of that financial institution and the Home Savings Bank, Fifth and Spring streets, shortly after the first of the year.

The consolidation is the result of a community of interest which has existed between the two institutions for some time, and has only been delayed pending the expiration of the legal time required to arrange for increasing the capital stock of the Home Savings Bank from $400,000 to $600,000.

Negotiations are now pending, according to President Douglass, for much larger and more complete quarters, and if these are not successfully consummated it is the purpose of the bank to build for itself a magnificent banking home on a site which he is not yet prepared to indicate.

F. M. Douglass, president, and D. A. Thompson, a director in the National Bank of Commerce, have been directors in the Home Savings Bank for years, and it is announced that the officers of the National Bank of Commerce will become officers in the combined institution. O. J. Wigdal is president of the Home Savings Bank.

A branch of the Home Savings Bank is to be maintained at the present location of the National Bank of Commerce, and it is understood that other important plans are in view which, if brought to pass, will place the Home Savings Bank among the important financial institutions of the city.

President Douglass will remain with the consolidated bank in an official capacity at an attractive salary, his quarter of a century banking experience in Southern California making him, in the opinion of the directorate, valuable on the staff of the greater bank. He is also president of the Bank of Huntington Park; vice-president of the First National Bank of Hollywood, and of the Hollywood Savings Bank, as well as a director in several other banks throughout the county.

President Wigdal of the Home Savings Bank was for seventeen years president of the old Los Angeles National Bank, and before that conducted a bank in Wisconsin. Both men are well equipped for the task before them in the handling of the affairs of the consolidated bank whose deposits at the start will be nearly $4,000,000.

It is understood that a number of the directors of the National Bank of Commerce will become directors in the Home Savings Bank, while the stockholders will receive share for share in the consolidated institution or, if they see fit, dispose of their holdings at a figure said to be highly satisfactory.

JONATHAN CLUB JINKS.

Members Looking Forward in Anticipation of Night of Enjoyment Next Week.

If there is a failure on the part of any member or guest of the Jonathan Club to enjoy himself on the night of the 27th inst., at the "Jink's Night," which is heralded as offering the "Limit of Hilarity," it will not be the fault of the "Jinks Committee."

While the public has not been taken into the confidence of the committee to the extent of being told just what will happen behind the doors on this particular night, it is a safe prediction to say that there will not be a dull minute during the evening. Members will impersonate characters of renown, and it is planned to enjoy one big riot of fun.

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Johnston then went on to describe what he saw in Eddie's private office. His description tallied in the main with what the previous witness said occurred. The witness said Lloyd bored the holes in the door on the previous afternoon.

"EDDIE WAS WHITE."

"What was the first thing you saw when you broke open the door?" asked Deputy District Attorney Blair.

"I first noticed Eddie's face; it was white," was the reply.

"Did you hear him say something to Nimmo?"

"Yes, I heard Eddie say something to the effect that a 'job was being put up on him.'"

"Did Eddie say anything to you?"

"He said: 'My God, Johnston, you won't speak of this,' or 'don't speak of this;' something to that effect."

The witness said Eddie then called Attorney Tom Thornton on the telephone, requesting him to come to his office. He said he heard Nimmo and Eddie discussing the juvenile law.

Johnston only briefly told what happened in Judge Wilbur's chambers when Deputy District Attorney McCartney, Attorney Thornton, Alice Phelps, Eddie, McLaughlin and the witness were present. He remembered that Eddie asked permission to put one question to Mrs. Phelps. He also stated that Eddie argued that his resignation ought to be sufficient without proceeding further in the matter.

Rogers in his cross-examination drew out the fact that Johnston for a time was in the employ of a Chinese cafe proprietor and drew pay from him for doing detective work. The witness said that he gave up this work later on, and is at present on the pay roll of Chief Sebastian.

He told how Mrs. Phelps came to work for a Mrs. Johnsen, a neighbor of his on Echo Park road. He said he thus became acquainted with the young woman.

Rogers endeavored to make the witness admit various things in connection with Mrs. Phelps going to see Eddie. The lawyer also inquired with much minuteness into the fact that Mrs. Phelps, after her experience in Eddie's office, lived with Special Officer Johnston and his wife. The witness stated that Deputy Sheriff Holman also came there to live.

It is believed the State upon rebuttal will try to show that this arrangement was taken to prevent possible interference with Mrs. Phelps.

The witness seemed to fail to grasp some of the interrogatories put to him by Rogers. The lawyer finally asked an early adjournment on account of a severe hoarseness. It was granted.

It is believed the State will reserve Mrs. Phelps as the last witness. The other women who have made affidavits of alleged misconduct on Eddie's part when they were in his office probably will not be called by the prosecution. One may be used by the defense.

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DENTIST'S WIFE SHOOTS SELF BELOW HEART.

Act Follows Holiday Gift Discussion With Family—Last Words a Retort Direct to Husband—Relative Says It Was Third Attempt at Self-destruction.

Laboring under excitement incidental to the selection and preparation of Christmas presents, Mrs. Aura Schuessler, 30 years old, wife of Dr. Robert W. Schuessler, No. 1354 West Twenty-fifth street, committed suicide yesterday by shooting herself under the heart with her husband's revolver. She lived half an hour after she fired the shot, then expired in the presence of her husband, her 6-year-old son, Carlos, and her sister, Miss Alice Blake.

A short time before shooting herself Mrs. Schuessler had a talk over the telephone with her mother about Christmas presents, and visited her husband at his offices to assist him in some work and to talk over some gifts.

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"There's your book!"

She went direct to her boudoir and took her husband's revolver from under the pillow, where he kept it. When Miss Blake saw her sister with the weapon, she told Dr. Schuessler. Before he could get to the room he heard the report of the revolver and Mrs. Schuessler's fall to the floor.

"Where did you shoot yourself?" asked the dentist, rushing into the room, and not seeing any blood.

"Through the heart; where do you suppose?" replied the wife.

Dr. and Mrs. Schuessler were married about eight years ago in La Jara, Colo. They have been residents of Los Angeles a few years.

After investigating the case and listening to a statement made by Dr. Schuessler, who is a dentist with offices at No. 2311½ South Vermont avenue, the Coroner decided that an inquest is not necessary.

Andrew Schuessler, the woman's brother-in-law, who recently arrived from New York City, said yesterday that it was Mrs. Schuessler's third attempt to take her life. The other two times, he added, her efforts were thwarted by the husband. Schuessler also said that his sister-in-law has a brother who is at times not considered rational, and in that connection, the statement was given out that Mrs. Schuessler was suffering from emotional insanity when she shot herself.

Mrs. F. K. Blake of No. 501 East Pico street, mother of Mrs. Schuessler, denied that her daughter had ever before attempted to take her life.

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"HAVE TO RESIGN."

The witness narrated what occurred in Judge Wilbur's chambers when the court was asked to sign the warrant for Eddie's arrest. He declared that the defendant said in substance: "There is no occasion for any complaint to be issued. I realize that I will have to resign anyhow and that will be punishment enough."

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LIKE THE SAMPLES.

Man to Wed His Brother's Widow and Widower to Join Hands With Sister of His Dead Wife.

Two marriages that will bind persons already connected in a left-handed way by similar ties were presaged yesterday in the county marriage license bureau. George Mills, 48, secured a license from Clerk Sparks to wed Della Mills, 29, his brother's widow. Mrs. Mills is blind, but she appeared with her brother-in-law that is, husband-to-be.

Antonio Colavin, 47, got a license to marry Angela Toffoli, 33, the sister of his dead wife. Mrs. Iride Pieri signed a statement permitting her minor daughter, Henrietta Guidi, to marry Paul Pieri, to whom neither she nor her second husband is related.

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GIFT WORRIES CAUSE SUICIDE.

DENTIST'S WIFE SHOOTS SELF BELOW HEART.

Act Follows Holiday Gift Discussion With Family—Last Words a Retort Direct to Husband—Relative Says It Was Third Attempt at Self-destruction.

Laboring under excitement incidental to the selection and preparation of Christmas presents, Mrs. Aura Schuessler, 30 years old, wife of Dr. Robert W. Schuessler, No. 1354 West Twenty-fifth street, committed suicide yesterday by shooting herself under the heart with her husband's revolver. She lived half an hour after she fired the shot, then expired in the presence of her husband, her 6-year-old son, Carlos, and her sister, Miss Alice Blake.

A short time before shooting herself Mrs. Schuessler had a talk over the telephone with her mother about Christmas presents, and visited her husband at his offices to assist him in some work and to talk over some gifts.

Later, while still agitated over Christmas perplexities, she was asked by Dr. Schuessler about a certain book. When Mrs. Schuessler found the book she placed it on the table, showing a little impetuosity, with the remark:

"There's your book!"

She went direct to her boudoir and took her husband's revolver from under the pillow, where he kept it. When Miss Blake saw her sister with the weapon, she told Dr. Schuessler. Before he could get to the room he heard the report of the revolver and Mrs. Schuessler's fall to the floor.

"Where did you shoot yourself?" asked the dentist, rushing into the room, and not seeing any blood.

"Through the heart; where do you suppose?" replied the wife.

Dr. and Mrs. Schuessler were married about eight years ago in La Jara, Colo. They have been residents of Los Angeles a few years.

After investigating the case and listening to a statement made by Dr. Schuessler, who is a dentist with offices at No. 2311½ South Vermont avenue, the Coroner decided that an inquest is not necessary.

Andrew Schuessler, the woman's brother-in-law, who recently arrived from New York City, said yesterday that it was Mrs. Schuessler's third attempt to take her life. The other two times, he added, her efforts were thwarted by the husband. Schuessler also said that his sister-in-law has a brother who is at times not considered rational, and in that connection, the statement was given out that Mrs. Schuessler was suffering from emotional insanity when she shot herself.

Mrs. F. K. Blake of No. 501 East Pico street, mother of Mrs. Schuessler, denied that her daughter had ever before attempted to take her life.

BUY BUTTER FAT.

TULARE, Dec. 18.—Tulare District creameries paid $98,917.43 to the various dairymen of this section for their production of butter fat during the month of November. This is practically $10,000 short of the total for October, when the highest mark was reached in the history of this district. Shortage of green feed incident to the long continuation of the dry season was given as the cause as the prices paid this month were practically identical with those for the October cream. Rains of the past few days have improved pasturage conditions and December production may reach over $100,000 again.

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Co-operation.

PLAN TO OUST THE MIDDLEMAN.

POULTRY ASSOCIATION HOPES TO LOWER EGG PRICES.

Condemns Storage Product as an Instrument Used in Restraint of Trade, Claiming That It Is Not Just to Regulate Prices of Fresh Eggs With It.

The high cost of living is discussed throughout America, in an effort to ascertain just what the cause may be and to find a remedy for it.

At present the fight seems to be on butter and eggs. In Philadelphia women are endeavoring to lower the cost of the latter by a method which belongs to the commission man, the produce exchanges and the stock exchanges, and can mean nothing but a temporary relief with a reaction which will be anything but beneficial. At least this is the opinion of the Poultry Breeders' Association.

"The effort of these women is commendable, but they are trying to beat the dealers at their own game," said the manager of the association's egg department yesterday. "This would be impossible. With their money and combined effort the market will, as before, be ruled as the exchange desires. That the consumer suffers by the methods of the exchanges is to be admitted, but the poultryman is the one who bears the brunt of the evil effect. He is under-paid for his product the consumer is over-charged.

"It is hoped by the Poultry Breeders' Association to secure more profit for the poultryman by direct delivery to the consumer, thereby eliminating the middleman, which will eventually reduce the cost to the consumer. We are not averse to the storage egg, which we admit is a necessity, but we are very much against the methods adopted by some of the dealers. While I am not prepared to make a charge against any particular concern, I do say that I am sure storage eggs are sold for fresh eggs in Los Angeles, and that such transactions are being carried on legally. The law on storage stock rules that eggs which have been in storage for a period of ninety days must be so labeled, but an egg that has been in storage eighty-nine days is fresh as far as the absence of a label is concerned. Therefore the dealer in storage is furnished with sufficient quantities to supply the market with fresh eggs when the shipments have decreased to a minimum. At that time of the year they pay the candled price, but later on, case count or less.

"On November 15 the candled quotation was 50 cents, and one of our customers was offered a 'strictly fresh egg' by a local commission house for 46 cents. Later, this customer who had quit buying from us came back and admitted that the egg he had purchased for 46 cents seemed to be fully as good as ours for the first day or two, but he could not keep it longer than that as it would not 'stand up,' proving conclusively that it had been kept in storage.

"It is utterly ridiculous that the poultryman and the consumer as well, should stand by and let the dealers set the price of fresh eggs by the supply of storage stock. Prices are supposed to be governed by the law of supply and demand, but such is not the case. For instance, last spring the rate on fresh eggs lingered for some time at about 21 cents, when the shipments were about 300 cases a day or more. The average shipments for the first ten days of November were about forty-one cases, or 5 per cent. of the spring supply. Then by the law of supply eggs should have brought $4.20 per dozen, for although the demand was not so great, at no time during the last ninety days has there been enough fresh eggs to supply the market.

"Prices on food stuffs, to be fair to all, must eventually be honestly based on the cost of production as well as the supply and demand."

BANDIT GIVES GIFTS.

Makes Motorman and Conductor of Hold-Up Car Presents of Own Watches.

A clean denimed bandit took possession of street car No. 740 at the end of the West Adams-street line, Mt. Clair and Adams street, last night.

"Gentlemen!" He addressed Motorman M. L. Clarke, and Conductor G. R. Whitcomb, "keep your watches as a little Xmas present from Kid Get-the-Money, but put all your coin in your right hands and salute with your left."

Motorman Clarke and Conductor Whitcomb at once came to salute. The bandit criticised the details of Clarke's pose.

"Put your heels together, place all four fingers to the visor of your cap," he commanded. Then he industriously collected from them fares they had collected.

He told the crew to continue at salute while he walked away. "Remember the little Xmas presents I have left you," he said, "and don't shoot until I get out of range."

Here the respectful car crew disobeyed. As soon as the bandit turned his back he began to run. And as soon as he began to run the motorman and conductor changed their salutes to a volley of revolver shots.

All car crews are armed now, that is all that can purchase weapons. Whitcomb and Clarke each had .38 caliber revolvers. So far as they know none of their shots took effect.

AUTO ON RAMPAGE.

Butts One Man Out of Way and Carries Second Through Big Window.

"Rough and Ready" a big six-cylinder touring car, made a right-of-way through a $500 plate glass window of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad office at No. 130 West Sixth street last night.

The car was standing, set for a start, with the gears in mesh when Chauffeu Bert Fennell of No. 134 East Second street, cranked it. Arthur Martin of No. 715 Antonio street was in the car. When the engine started Fennell was butted out of the way without injury, and "Rough and Ready" dashed for a large map inside the railroad office. Martin, seated at the wheel, became confused, and pressed his foot on the pedal throttle. The machine gathered speed across the sidewalk and hit the plate glass window so hard that the parts of the glass flew forty feet.

This is the season when sickness stalks through the land in the form of pneumonia. The surest defense against the disease is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.—[Advertisement.

PERSONALS.

Capt. J. M. Ellicott, U.S.N., is registered at the Hayward from San Francisco. He is commanding officer of the U.S.S. Maryland. Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Fuller are registered at the same hotel from Lancaster, where Fuller is president of the Farmers' and Merchants' National Bank, a newly organized financial institution of Antelope Valley. J. S. Withers is a guest at the hotel and is in the mining business at Kingman, Ariz.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Kennedy are guests at the Hollenbeck. They are on their honeymoon, having been married only two or three days ago at Oakland, where Kennedy is Deputy City Assessor. Kennedy is well known as an amateur and semi-professional baseball star and came from the greatest aggregation of baseball talent ever turned out of any university. He was on the University of California team when it contained such famous characters as Orvie Overall, Heine Heitmuller, Jack Bliss, Jack Strub, Nick Williams and several others.

William Stanley, managing director of the General Electric Company, with his wife, is registered at the Alexandria from Great Barrington, Mass. He has been in San Diego watching some government tests with the new illuminated targets and shells. J. W. McClymonds, and Mrs. McClymonds are at the same hotel. He is at the head of the Pacific Fruit Express refrigerating department. Nicholas F. Sargent, pioneer restaurateur of San Diego and an extensive real estate holder in the southern portion of the State, is passing a few days at the same hotel.

Dr. F. A. Plymire, is a physician and mining man of Lunning, Nev., who is passing a few days at the Angelus. W. J. Ehmann, a cattle dealer and packer of Enterprise, Kan., is making his home at the same hotel. Alfred J. Diescher, manufacturer of nautical iron hardware, is registered at the hotel from Pittsburgh, and Thomas Tlow, a New York attorney, is also making his home there.

W. L. Buresch, with his wife and son, is occupying a suite at the Westminster. He is interested in mining in Utah and his home is at Provo. T. T. Hilch is registered at the hotel from Ft. Madison, Iowa, and is a retired rancher. Mrs. Hilch accompanies her husband. J. T. Upchunck, a cattleman of Arlington, Tex., with his wife, is making his home at the same hotel.

C. P. Fritchle, inventor of the Fritchle electric automobile, the first machine of that type to run more than 100 miles continuously on a single charge, and president of the company manufacturing the car, with his family, is registered at the Lankershim from Denver. He is here for the winter months. Dr. F. A. Bird, with a party of eight residents of Kelso, Wash., arrived at the hotel yesterday morning.

H. J. McClung, banker of Phoenix, is passing a few days at the Van Nuys while here looking after private interests. D. A. Anderson is at the hotel from Vancouver. He is in the real estate business. Another guest is W. V. Stafford of San Francisco, who is here looking after real estate investments, made recently.

ELKS' PRE-CHRISTMAS.

Brotherhood of the Protected Order Have Jollification With Mystic Diversity.

Los Angeles Lodge No. 99 B.P.O.E. held its pre-Christmas meeting last night with a banquet and an interesting programme and several new members were initiated.

With the assistance of Raymond, the magician, and a number of vaudeville entertainers there was no lack of enjoyment. Prominent members of the order were made victims of the magician's art, much to the satisfaction of other members. The meeting was held under the supervision of Exalted Ruler Edward B. Lovie. Past Exalted Ruler Edmund B. Drake delivered the toast at 11 o'clock.

The social order is planning a Christmas tree for the poor children of the city. Santa Claus will be importuned to provide liberally for the benefit of the waifs and if he lives up to his reputation it will be a grand time for the "kids." All arrangements have not been completed but there will be nothing lacking when the proper time comes.

Graciously Preside at Society's Brilliant Function.

Photos by Mirth Williams.

Among the Patronesses of the Subscription Dance,

At the Alexandria last evening. Much of the success of the notable gathering of the elite is due to them.

Blazing Jewels.

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as a perspective being exceptionally lovely.

"LOVE DABS."

About the tables during the morning's early hours there was a relaxing of the formal measures of the ball, as a debutante coyly tossed a "love dab" into the air. It fell with a rattle upon an exposed pate, and was followed a second later by a wriggling "serpentine," tightly rolled colored paper which started from the same fair hand and went whither it listed. Soon the room was filled with careening serpentines, and hurtling love dabs, the latter taking the place of the customary confetti, and contained in dainty silken bags. A "love dab" is a tiny ball, very light and holding a few small shot which rattle enticingly and add just a touch of deviltry to the proceedings.

A feature preliminary to the dancing, which commenced shortly after 10 o'clock, was a number of private dinner parties at the Alexandria. These for the most part were informal, and comfortably filled the early evening hours.

A roster of the guests composes those who form society's vanguard in Los Angeles, supplemented and reinforced by several out of town leaders. The patronesses received the guests, and the dancing started without the prologue of a grand march.

An orchestra of twenty-four pieces in the ballroom and another orchestra in the dining-room provided music of exceptional excellence. The entire affair in detail and execution, under the arrangement of Herr Reichl of the Alexandria, attained a place very near the top of local society achievements.

The subscription ball is a successor of the "Assemblies" of earlier years, which provided the "last word" in the social activity of the budding metropolis. The event of last night compares favorably with the great annual subscription affairs of Philadelphia, New York, Washington and other eastern cities, and places Los Angeles more distinctly upon the social map than it has ever been before.

EXQUISITE GOWNS.

The gowns were exquisite and many Parisian creations were seen last night for the first time, both maids and matrons having reserved their most becoming of dresses for the fashionable event. Marvels of the dressmaker's art were worn by the debutantes, who were experiencing thrills of their first formal party.

The receiving line was composed of the patronesses, who included Mrs. Michael J. Connell, regal in a Paris robe of panne velvet in the new green shade; Mrs. Cameron Erskine Thom, heavy white satin, embroidered in crystals and finished with garnitures of American beauty satin; Mrs. Allan Balch, wonderful combination of coral lace, fashioned over satin of the same shade; Mrs. William May Garland, who returned from the east for the affair, white satin embroidered in crystals and rhinestones. This was finished with touches of black. A fillet of rhinestones fastened with a cluster of paradise feathers completed the coiffure. Mrs. Randolph Huntington Miner wore a noticeably handsome gown of rose colored brocade velvet, trimmed with point Venice—jeweled fan-shaped hair ornament; Mrs. Guy Cochran, pale blue satin and real lace; Mrs. Kate Slauson Vosburg, white satin with adornments of black tulle and ermine; Mrs. James Calhoun Drake, handsome black velvet effect; Mrs. Granville MacGowan, dainty affair of white beaded net embroidered in rhinestones and Mrs. E. A. Bryant, Mrs. Hancock Banning and Mrs. Alfred Solano.

Mrs. Mary Wilcox Longstreet, also one of the patronesses, was unable to attend on account of illness.

Friederick-Carpenter.

Miss Pauline Friederick of San Diego, daughter of a retired manufacturer, and Clarence Carpenter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Carpenter of this city, were married at high noon yesterday at the home of the bride, No. 1266 Ninth street, San Diego, Rev. Charles L. Barnes, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, officiating.

Miss Friederick is a popular member of the younger society set and it had been expected that the wedding would be one of the most brilliant of the season, but owing to the recent sudden death of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Octavia Friederick of New York City, plans that had been made for a ceremony at the San Diego Clubhouse were abandoned.

The bride wore a beautiful handmade gown of white charmeuse trimmed with princess lace and chiffon, according to San Diego dispatches last night. Her veil was of tulle caught with orange blossoms, and she carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley. Her sister, Edna Friederick, attended her, gowned in golden yellow with drapery of brown, and carrying yellow chrysanthemums.

The house looked dainty in its decorations of white carnations, yellow chrysanthemums and smilax. A little altar had been built in front of the bay window, flanked on either side by Christmas trees and palms.

After the ceremony the friends and relatives were served with a wedding breakfast, and later the couple left for a trip to the north, where they will visit points of interest. Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter will reside at Redondo Beach.

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—with a low chair so that she may sit down to try the effect of new hair ribbons or spring bonnets.

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Here's a good style round table with the square center base—and a set of chairs—these are in white enamel—with a tiny finish of gold.

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Fashion's Whispering.

Velvet skirts slashed in front with black lace petticoats are worn with short coats in Paris.

Serge in black or blue, bound in silk braid, is as much in favor as ever for tailored suits.

Old gold is one of the fashionable colors for charmeuse gowns and the linings of wraps.

Among the fashionable methods for dressing the hair is a revival of the French twist.

Russian blouses, long-sleeved and fur trimmed, are noticed in some of the dressier costumes.

LOOK TO THE KIDS.

Prosecutors Instructed How to Reach Hearts of Jurors in Wife Abandonment Cases.

Deputy District Attorney McComas, the Nestor of the force under Capt. Fredericks, became facetious yesterday when he learned that striplings in the office had been pulling the heart-strings of jurors by impassioned reference to deserted wives, in cases of failure to provide, without mentioning the children. Judge Monroe had remarked that the children were being neglected and McComas, one of the most noted prosecutors in the State years ago, immediately saw the point.

His josh instructions are addressed to "All the deputies of this greatest office in the sunkist land of California." They are:

"You are hereby advised that in all cases of 'Failure to provide, etc.,' you are to make diligent inquiry if there are any minor children, do you hear? Minor children. And if there are any minor children, go for them, and let the wife scratch for herself. You can always win on the minor children, where you will lose nine times out of ten on the wife."

HER ESCAPE WONDERFUL.

Young Woman Who Falls Six Stories May Recover—Surgeons Surprised at Recuperative Powers.

California Hospital attendants announced yesterday that Miss Frances A. Groff, No. 678 Irolo street, who fell from a seventh-story window in the Los Angeles Trust and Savings Bank building, 6th and Spring streets, Tuesday afternoon, had shown such wonderful recuperative powers it is expected she will recover. She is the daughter of former Postmaster and ex-Judge Lewis A. Groff. The woman fell from a window in the law office of her father.

It has not been definitely determined whether Miss Groff's skull was fractured by her sixty-five-foot fall. Neither is it positive that she sustained internal injuries. Miss Groff regained her mental faculties yesterday, but was not permitted to discuss her accident.

FOR Christmas and New Year holidays the Salt Lake Route will sell tickets between all stations in California and Nevada at reduced rates. Dates of sale, December 21 to 25 and 28 to January 1. Return limits, January 3 and 7. Particulars at all ticket offices. Los Angeles, 261 S. Spring st.

WHEN IS A COLT?

Law Invoked to Decide Parentage of Spindle-legged Bay, Likewise the Ownership.

Solomon, deciding between the two mothers who claimed parentage to the same baby, might have presided with some assurance yesterday in Justice Forbes's court, where J. J. Thrasher sued L. A. Redden for $200, which he asserted was his due because the latter had failed to return in good repair one bay colt, which should have been about three times larger than when put into Redden's pastures last April. Half the ranchers of Lankershim, apparently, were there to see the fun.

Shortly after Thrasher gave his colt into Redden's keeping, S. Chamberlain brought another colt of the same age and color to Redden. Thrasher called for his animal in August. He rejected indignantly the colt offered, saying that it was much smaller than his ought to be.

"The price of feed is high," said Redden, according to the testimony. "Perhaps it hasn't grown as it should. Take it out to the mare. She will know her offspring."

This is where Redden apparently showed the qualities of Solomon. But the mare would have none of the colt. She licked it, and inventoried it as mares are wont to do; then kicked up her heels and galloped off.

"Mothers sometimes forget," said Redden, sagely. "Take the colt away, and later she'll remember."

Then Chamberlain went to Redden for his colt. He was told that it had died. A body was shown him. He said the carcass was that of a sorrel, disclaimed it and went away muttering.

Later he saw Thrasher with the colt. "That's mine," he said. "Where'd you get it?"

Thrasher said he thought it might not be his own colt, and that he was ashamed to own such a spindly thing, anyway, but he wouldn't give the animal up. Chamberlain brought suit before Justice Bryson of Lankershim and recovered the colt.

Then Thrasher filed suit against Redden in Los Angeles. Justice Forbes decreed that his own colt should be returned to him, if found; and that he be given $150, with $25 extra for damages, if the animal did not turn up. Redden will hunt industriously for that colt.

MYSTERY AND ROMANCE.

Search for Philadelphia Girl Believed Living Here Reveals Unusual Story—Fortune Here.

Mystery and romance attend the search Pennsylvania and New York relatives and Central Station detectives here are making for 20-year-old Margaret Carpenter, who, with her mother, disappeared from Philadelphia fifteen years ago, after they had been deserted by the father and husband, George Carpenter, son of a once-wealthy New York family.

Clarence Tolan of No. 1233 Arch street, Philadelphia, recently received knowledge that a great aunt of the girl died intestate, leaving a snug little fortune to divide between George Carpenter and his brother.

When 21 years old George Carpenter went to Philadelphia and married against the wishes of his family. His only child, Margaret, was 5 years old when Carpenter deserted his home. Later his mangled body was found on a railroad in Texas. The young wife and daughter remained but a short time in the Quaker City, and Tolan believes Miss Margaret and her mother are living in Los Angeles.

ADVENTURER ARRESTED.

Man of Many Titles Taken on the Charge of Overdrawing Account. Former Local Patrolman.

W. L. Claiborn, 32 years old, attorney-at-law, globe-trotter, soldier of fortune, veteran of the Boer war, explorer of the African diamond fields, former member of the Los Angeles Police department and now a fireman on the Santa Fe, running out of Needles, was arrested in a South Broadway department store by Detective Nick Harris yesterday on a charge of having overdrawn his bank account.

Claiborn will not be prosecuted for it is stated he is not mentally responsible at times. When taken to headquarters he was unable to tell where he and his wife are staying in the city. Detective Harris finally located Mrs. Claiborn in a South Main street hotel where a quantity of merchandise was recovered.

The fireman and his wife came to Los Angeles several days ago from Needles, en route to Omaha, where he planned to visit a brother. He opened an account with the Security Savings Bank by depositing $240 under the name of A. L. Biggs. Claiborn said he used an assumed name to avoid trouble with loan sharks.

Within two hours Claiborn is declared to have withdrawn $225 from the bank, and to then have overdrawn his account. He has two brothers, members of the Los Angeles Fire Department.

Claiborn was admitted to the bar in Arkansas and practiced in Nevada before coming to Los Angeles. He secured a divorce from his first wife in this city.

Claiborn joined the police force on August 20, 1909. He was dismissed by the Police Commission on June 13, 1910, for betting.

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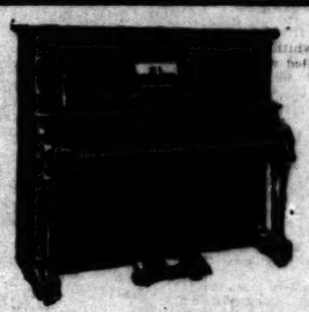

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Lake Superior district is being swept by a severe blizzard. Well, what are its people kicking about? It's a superior blizzard, isn't it?

BEST RAISING ON EARTH.

Somebody expresses surprise that rice is grown successfully and on a commercial scale in California. Why, bless you, a man can raise anything in this State except a grouch.

IN LUCK.

Gov. Marshall of Indiana, realizing what's ahead of him when he faces a Democratic Senate armed only with a small gavel, has gone to Arizona to take lessons in self-defense and to rest. Arizona is real fortunate in having a friend at court.

LOSING AN OFFICIAL.

Eight cars of oranges seized at Chicago were sampled freely by Judge Landis in the courtroom Tuesday. It will not be surprising any day now to read that His Honor has resigned in order to make his home in California.

A LIKELY MOTIVE.

The peace meeting at London has adjourned for two days. This action was probably taken in order to give the delegates time to find something new to quarrel about. The real trouble is not to be expected from the countries doing the fighting, but from those on the outside who are not entirely unselfish in dictating the terms of peace.

THE OLD SCHOOL.

Joseph W. Bailey will quit being a Senator and return to the practice of law in Texas. In spite of the fact that Joseph was once caught holding the coat of a corporation in a legal manner, he has been a distinguished figure in the halls of Congress and a conservative national councilor. Bailey's disgust with the follies of "Progressive issues" is perhaps his chief motive for resigning.

GRACIOUS.

President Taft announces that he will not fill the eminent post of Ambassador to Great Britain during his incumbency, but will leave that position open to appointment by his successor. It is rather too bad that Mr. Bryan has decided to become Secretary of State. It would be so much more satisfactory to his own party and, we take it, to America at large, to have this brilliant meddler safely banished to the Court of St. James. We are convinced that the Commoner's silk hat in Piccadilly Square would look far better than his nose in the Philippine policy.

DISGUSTING.

The edicts of fashion, in as far as they are unnecessary, are repugnant to good taste. It cannot possibly increase the comfort of any woman to wear either diamonds set in her shoe heels or to have the heels inlaid with gold. If a woman in a plain dress meets a woman who is exquisitely gowned she can admire the lovely costume without envy, but surely gold and jewels worn beneath the feet constitute a just cause for complaint and would be a source of pardonable bitterness. Golden heels are in a class with clubs for dogs and dinner parties to monkeys.

A SHINING MARK.

A lovely girl in St. Louis is to have a debut which will cost $80,000 in order to better emphasize the fact that, if her father does not go broke on Wall street, she will be the heiress of $60,000,000. Of course no one of her sincere admirers will let her money prejudice him too much to propose. If there is anything that is delightful it is the manner in which the poor but proud young man coldly spurns the wealth of his betrothed. You see, he simply hates her money, but loves her so much that he brings himself to forgive her for possessing it. His pride makes both of them suffer for many anxious months or anxious hours, as the case may be, but finally vain pride is vanquished and true love has its way. Then, with shining eyes and manly strength, he cries, "Come to my arms, O you millions."

THE COMMON TOWEL.

It is not the fault of doctors and hygienists if the risk of contagion and infectious diseases remains as a menace to society. We are having such a house-cleaning along health lines as was never before witnessed. We have the mosquito branded, the house fly under bonds, public drinking cups abolished, general sterilization the order of the day. Now the common towel has been placed under arrest as contributing to the spread of disease. With its effacement another source of infection will be done away with.

Every day the champions of cleanliness are working to clarify and sweeten life. The microbe and the germ are persistent little devils, but the greater persistency of science and light will track them to all their hidden lairs. The word "infection," as applied to anything but health, jollity and happiness, should soon be as obsolete as the "wanhope" of Chaucer.

Prof. C. P. Zaner, the writing expert of Columbus, O., is in Los Angeles. The professor is no farmer, yet he makes his living with his pen.

A FEARLESS JUDGE.

If there were more jurists like Judge Anderson, who is presiding in Indianapolis at the trial of the dynamiters, the cause of justice would be the gainer and popular respect for the courts would be increased. The case has reached the stage of argument before the jury, and already the judge has, on his own initiative, sent four witnesses for the defense to jail to await trial on a charge of perjury.

John T. Butler, vice-president of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Ironworkers, made sucif a brazen exhibition of himself on the witness stand that, after the jury had retired, Judge Anderson said: "This man Butler took the stand today and swore to things he knew were not true, and everybody here knew he was committing perjury."

Butler was sent to jail in default of $15,000 bail. Two other witnesses for the defense are under bonds and held to the Federal grand jury on charges of bribery committed during the trial. Three other defendants, including Herbert S. Hockin, former secretary of the union, are in jail, and whatever the result of the dynamite trial, it seems probable that conviction on charges of perjury await several of the scoundrels who, after participating in the infamous campaign of destruction, endeavored to lie themselves out of it.

The lawyers of the Clarence Darrow stripe who are engaged for the defendants did not escape the caustic comments of Judge Anderson. He said:

> "There are a few people in this country who must be told that the law is the law, and if there is any gentleman in this courtroom who feels that the shoe fits him let him put it on. I have never seen a display such as has taken place here in the last two weeks, and I have been a lawyer and on the bench for thirty-nine years."

It has cost the United States $32,000 thus far for witness fees in the Indianapolis cases and the money has been wisely expended. Four hundred and ninety-nine witnesses were examined for the government and they have made clear beyond a peradventure that the dynamitings and murders committed all over the country were perpetrated under the direction of the officers and directors of the Structural Ironworkers' Union. The defendants have not lacked for lawyers. Over $75,000 has been paid these "gentlemen" of the bar. The money, of course, has been wrung from the workers in the shops. Tveitmoe pocketed $1000.

It is expected that the argument will last eight days. Judge Anderson being a Federal judge has a wider latitude in his charge to the jury than is accorded in State courts. He is at liberty to review and sum up the evidence. That he will do so with impartiality, but at the same time elaborately and fearlessly, need not be doubted. The country will await his action with the greatest interest. If the trial shall result in a conviction, as seems almost certain, the cause of industrial freedom will receive a mighty benefit for which it will be largely indebted to Judge Anderson.

AN ASSUMPTIOUS QUARTETTE.

Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University; Chancellor Day of Syracuse University; Benjamin Ide Wheeler, president of the University of California; and Lyon G. Tyler, president of William and Mary College, may be, and doubtless are, very wise, and very learned, and very patriotic gentlemen. It may be that their joint opinion on any public question is entitled to much greater weight than that of 200 Congressmen, sixty Senators and a President of the United States. But the American people will hesitate to accept the ipse dixit of these shrinking violets, and will decline to believe that these four college presidents know all there is to know on all public questions all the time.

These four gentlemen burdened the dispatches yesterday with their dogmatic opinions that Sir Edward Grey is altogether right and the Congress of the United States altogether wrong, and that, to quote bombastic Nicholas Murray Butler, "the Congress of the United States should retreat promptly from its unwise and indefensible action in voting remission of tolls to coastwise shipping," and that "we shall, as a nation, be everlastingly dishonored" if we decline to submit to the maritime nations of Europe the regulation and government of an American canal, constructed with American money, on American territory.

If the demand upon Congress, made by the four university presidents, had been made directly by the presidents of four transcontinental railroads, their motives would be understood, for the roads are interested to the extent of $1.20 per ton on Pacific Coast freight in having our coastwise steamships not exempted from toll, and nobody could censure the railroad magnates for seeking to guard their own selfish business interests, although the public would not feel called upon to agree with them.

The points of difference between the British Foreign Office and our State Department have been mostly eliminated from discussion at present. We do not abandon our right to subsidize by remission of tolls American vessels engaged in foreign trade, although we do not at present insist upon it. We do not insist—as indeed we could not logically insist—that trust-owned foreign vessels shall be excluded from the use of the canal. We insist only that we have a right to foster our coastwise shipping by permitting it to pass through the canal free of toll. As foreign ships could not in any event engage in the coastwise traffic, it does not appear how any foreign nation can logically offer objections to such indirect aid to our ships engaged in the coastwise trade.

England objects to our action on the ground that exemption from tolls of a vessel carrying a cargo from New York to Seattle would enable the same vessel to pay tolls on a return cargo of wheat from Vancouver to New York and so carry such a cargo cheaper than it could be carried by a British vessel. But the British vessel can more than equalize conditions, because it is built cheaper, equipped cheaper and pays its mariners lower wages than are paid by Americans, and it is also subsidized by the British government.

The people of the Pacific Coast are more than any others interested in the exemption from tolls of American coastwise shipping. It means 4 cents a bushel more to the farmers for their grain. It means a few cents more per box on their oranges. It means more for their wool, and wine, and dried fruits, and lumber, and all the exported products of forest, orchard and field. It means $1.20 per ton less freight on all their importations by water from the East. It means in the aggregate millions of dollars per annum to Californians.

California will not, without a protest, consent to a relinquishment of these advantages that the Panama Canal will bring to her, because four college professors set up their opinions against Congress, against the press of the country and against the rights and interests of their own land, the while they perform the grand kow-tow of abasement before Great Britain, and applaud the far-reaching illimitable damned impudence of Sir Edward Grey.

A Competent Judge.

FRENCH CHIVALRY VINDICATED.

At last the famous civil code of France has been altered permitting the mother of an illegitimate child to establish paternity. It will be recalled that the code, instituted in the reign of Napoleon, forbade the mother or her representatives to establish paternity except in cases of abduction, and this has been the law until it was recently amended. One can readily realize what cruel hardship so unfair a law has worked in the cases of foreign mothers left with the entire burden of their illegitimate child. It goes far to explain the apparent callousness of the mothers in regard to the State Foundling Hospital, where babies could be deposited and no questions asked, provided all claims of parentage were discarded. The law was defended at the time of its institution on the score that it prevented malicious libel from which it was important to protect the male population. It speaks much for the progress of France in the last hundred years that such a law is now regarded as indefensible, where formerly it was accepted as entirely just. And it lends point to the suffragettes' claims that the men who praise women the most loudly and set them on the highest pedestals (verbally) are the ones who deal them the most brutality, who despise them the most utterly. While this is, of course, an unfair exaggeration, France has assuredly merited some such rebuke.

It will be remembered how often and how bitterly Dumas attacked this subject. Himself the illegitimate son of an illegitimate son, it was a theme upon which he felt most deeply and he used much of his literary skill in the cause.

RAISING RAILROAD TRACKS.

Indianapolis, with a population of only 250,000, has embarked upon a project which will take 500 men four years to complete and which will cost $7,000,000, of which the city will pay one-fourth and the seven railroads entering the city will pay three-fourths.

The work projected is the raising of sixty-six miles of railroad track to avoid the traffic congestion and grade crossings with which the city is afflicted. Indianapolis has not only its own traffic, but the important central divisions of the great eastern lines pass through the city, bisecting it, "creating artificial north and south sides, causing some streets to be entirely blockaded and others to be open only as tunnels or as grade crossings whose maintenance is costly."

"Indianapolis," says an eastern journal which describes the proposed improvement, "is flat, most of the railroads entering the city proper from east and west, with the exception of some of the New York Central divisions, and the Louisville division of the Pennsylvania.

"The Union Station is in the heart of the city. Its tracks are too few in number, but in order to increase the yards it will be necessary to condemn one street and to make a concrete walled sewer of a creek which sometimes in the spring and fall becomes an unruly torrent, undermining tracks and flooding cellars. Pogues Run is crooked and erratic. So for a distance of two miles through the center of the city it is to be enclosed in a double concrete box and converted into a subterranean channel, over which will be laid the tracks and streets. This feature alone will require $1,000,000."

Indianapolis claims that during the average twenty-four hours, 365 days in each year, 196 passenger trains and 160 freight trains are handled in the city. This traffic has made transit from the business to the residence portion of the city always difficult and sometimes dangerous. The raising of the railroad tracks will obviate these difficulties.

GERMANY, PROTECTION AND COMMERCE.

Germany, at the far-sighted initiative of Bismarck, adopted protection as a policy in 1879 and still has wisdom enough to hang on to it. Since then the growth in her total exports and imports has been:

1880	$1,429,625,000
1890	1,875,050,000
1905	3,224,618,000
1910	4,019,972,000
Growth under 30 years of protection	2,590,047,000

The tonnage of Germany's steam vessels of 4000 tons and over during this time has increased in like proportion.

W. H. Dowse, president of the Home Market Club of Boston, said the other day in his annual address:

"I personally visited and was familiar with Germany in 1878 (before protection was adopted.) A factory at that time was a rare sight. I was last in Germany in the spring of 1911. At that time manufacturing towns and cities were everywhere to be found with skilled laborers in abundance and a yearly output of many millions in value."

Germany, with her great advantages over us of a large and efficient fleet of ocean-going merchant ships and German banks abroad, has done better in her foreign commerce since 1880 than have we. Here is our record:

1912 (fiscal year)	$3,857,000,000
1880	1,503,000,000
Our increase in thirty years.	2,354,000,000
German increase in thirty years	2,590,000,000
German advantage over us..	236,000,000

This story would have had a very different ending were American ships trading in every port as are German ships, and had we American banks in many foreign cities as the Germans have. Very far-sighted as we are in many things, we are more than shortsighted in our failure to provide these essentials to the development of our foreign commerce.

STREAKS OF WIT.

Another Campaign Slander.

[Ladies' Home Journal:] One morning last summer President Taft, wearing the largest bathing suit known to modern times, threw his substantial form into the cooling waves of Beverly Bay. Shortly afterward one neighbor said to another: "Let's go bathing."

"How can we?" was the response. "The President is using the ocean."

Open to Congratulations.

[Syracuse Journal:] She put down the book with a sigh.

"What is it, darling?" he asked.

"Ah, dearest, I'm so happy," she replied.

"But you had such a sad look in your eyes just now."

"I know. I've been reading about the unhappiness that the wives of men of genius have always had to bear. Oh, Alfred, I'm so glad you're just an ordinary sort of a fellow."

Got Away with Him.

[Syracuse Journal:] Jimson bought a business through an agent as a going concern in first-class condition. After six months he failed, but took his trouble very lightly.

Meeting the agent some time later he said:

"Do you remember selling me a business as a going concern?"

"Yes, of course, I do," replied the agent.

"Well," said Jimson, "it's gone."

CHOATE IN DES MOINES.

[Des Moines Capital, December 3:] Do you remember Fred M. C. Choate?

He was much in the limelight in Des Moines a few years ago when his wife, Irene Kempthorne Choate, and he fought over possession of their child in the local courts following a divorce hearing. When Choate lost, he tried to commit suicide by opening the arteries in his wrist. Mrs. Choate is a sister of Mrs. F. E. Lambert, who was recently granted a divorce from Dr. Lambert. The sisters are daughters of Joseph Kempthorne, a wealthy retired farmer of New Hampton.

TOO MANY WIDOWS.

BY ALICE WHEATLEY.

Many's the true word said in jest. Dickens, in portraying old Mr. Weller, never planned him for a twentieth-century prophet. Yet, his constant admonition, "Samivel, my son, beware of widders," may some day rank with the warnings of Jeremiah.

In Dickens's day the proportion of marriageable spinsters to widows was over fifty to one; at present it has dwindled to twelve and a half to one; and half a marriageable spinster is a negligible quantity. Even a whole marriageable spinster isn't valued any too highly. At this rate a hundred years from now there will be more widows than spinsters in the world; a condition that Rome never reached in her palmiest days of disintegration.

Death is only responsible for a small percentage in this increase. There is little sod and a lot of grass in the making of modern widows. The divorce court and excessive alimony form the recruiting ground for our present army of militant widows. If statistics could be compiled to show the number of eligible bachelors who are dangling in the train of grass widows, when they should be picking out good available spinsters to make useful married men of them, humanity would be staggered at the record. Divorce has been fulminated against because it is inimical to home life. The separation of ill-mated couples is not in itself inimical to home life. The multiplication of alimony-fed and irresponsible widows is the real Anglo-Saxon peril of today.

Of all created animals, except the hoot owl, the bat and the mole, masculine man is the most short-sighted. With the aid of a million horse-power magnifying glass he will never see what is for his real good in his dealings with the smarter sex. Observe a social gathering where mingle men and women—the women to charm and the men to be attracted. Under the influence of music, conversation, mutual confidences over pink lemonade and layer-cake and the general witchery of the hour, young men and maidens are being tuned up to the proper pitch, where all songs culminate in a mighty wedding march.

Alas! a fascinating widow is turned loose among those sanguine spinsters—and behold the deadly consequences. Let that widow be blest with alimony and a past, and the havoc is fiercer. Like flies round a cask of New Orleans molasses every bachelor rushes headlong to bask in the sunshine of that impossible widow; though they know full well that if she contemplated a second venture—which she generally doesn't—only one of those eligible bachelors can fill the bill. But to gratify her feminine love of attention she monopolizes all the good single material, while possible honeymoons go into permanent eclipse.

Of course it's no use grumbling. Widows, like rag-time music and the high cost of living, have come to stay. And since they generally come to stay widows, they are ruining the matrimonial market. A foolish fellow declared the other day that men find that widows make better wives than spinsters because they have had experience and understand men better. As soon as a woman understands a man it is all up with him. Married couples will understand each other best by not understanding each other too well.

In older and simpler times widows were subjects for help and sympathy. We seldom hear now of the widow's mite; the mighty widow has taken its place. The following conversation, which an Episcopal parson declares to be a verbatim report of an actual proposal, shows to what an extent "widowing" may be carried:

He: Darling, will you be mine?

She: You know I am a widow.

He: Of course I do, darling.

She: But you don't know how much I am a widow.

He (without batting an eye:) You mean the alimony? . . .

She: Oh, no! I mean how many times.

He: Great Caesar's ghost! You are quite young still.

She (tranquilly:) If I marry you, you will be the seventh.

He: That's awkward. And the other six? . . .

She: Well, I was rather unfortunate. I married when I was fifteen. The first disappeared for six years and I got a divorce. The second developed D.T. and the third insanity. They are both in private asylums. Number four was younger than myself. He was cruel. I went to Reno. Number five was middle-aged and respectable till another establishment turned up somewhere back in Pennsylvania. Now, dear, I have opened my heart to you and told you all.

He: None of them are likely to turn up again.

She: No, dear; I see nothing but sunshine ahead.

He (knitting his brow:) One moment. I am taken by your frankness; but—er—any family?

She: Yes, one by each husband.

He: Er—er—you see I've been divorced five times myself—each of my wives left me a portion of a family, and I don't think—er—our means—er—would quite run to the double establishment—so if you don't mind—er—er—we'll just be friends. Good afternoon!

UNCLE WALT.

The Poet Philosopher.

Dear Woodrow Wilson: Here I stand, a lightning rod in either hand, impatient to be struck; I told you how I'd bleed and die, but you have sent me no reply—just like my dorgone luck! I told you if I had a chance I'd be your minister to France, or ditto to St. James; turn down the patriots who shirked, but don't neglect the ones who worked until they broke their hames! You well may shudder when you think of how you'd be upon the blink had I not toiled and slaved for you throughout the long campaign; I wore out body, boots and brain—and how have you behaved? Long since you got my courteous note; no answer to the same you wrote, but left me here to pine, and all my enemies in town predict that you will turn me down, that I'll get soup for mine. I don't insist on foreign post—though such a snap would suit me most—most any job will do; just any snap beneath the sun to show you've not forgotten one who did so much for you. I am the man who for you yelled when all the other fellows held the fort for Ted or Bill; I am the man who drilled the dubs, and organized the Wilson clubs at Mudville-on-the-Hill.

WALT MASON.

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Two of a Kind.

[Judge:] "Please, sir; can you spare me a dime? I haven't a cent in the world."

"Neither have I. What make of car did you buy?"

Midweek.

RELIGION WILL VIE WITH COURT.

"HIS HUSH" AT MASON AND "BUTTERFLY" AT MAJESTIC.

Latter Said to Contain Most Sensational Trial Scene of Modern Problem-Mystery Play Another Christmas Attraction—Ritchie at Empress and Other Holiday Bills.

Thirteen years of constant repetition have not dulled the wonderful attraction of Gen. Lew Wallace's masterpiece, for the demand for seats for the engagement at the Mason next week equals all former engagements in this city. The production of this classic of the stage has been seen by more than ten million people, but its powers are not exhausted: rather they seem to be growing with the passing seasons, and new generations are asking eagerly for the great drama. Klaw & Erlanger have been extremely careful in casting and presenting the wonderful history of the House of Hur, brought up, as it is, in the story of the coming of the Christ. The reverence with which the sacred theme is presented is one of the features of the new sensational production.

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its principal scenes takes place in a courtroom during the trial of Mrs. Admason, charged with murder by her husband, George Admaston, who is in prison. The way in which the case has been staged and presented in this manner has been examined by many witnesses to be the talk both of New York and London. It has had a long run, too, with its popularity, the story is clever and interesting to stand upon its merits as a play, while the services of the auxiliary players, while scenically it promises to be of unusual worth.

Besides the regular Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday matinees, there will be a special Christmas matinee performance of "The Night Before Christmas."

That playwright Paul Armstrong knows what the Los Angeles theater-going public wants is against evidenced at the Burbank Theater this week, where his recent hit "A Romance of the Underworld" is attracting capacity audiences, and which on its first week promises to be fully as successful from the box-office viewpoint as his "Escape."

In "A Romance of the Underworld," Mr. Armstrong again demonstrates his remarkable ability at character drawing, and the remarkable characterizations to be found in the piece are no doubt responsible for its huge success.

Isetta Jewel, who made her first appearance last Sunday afternoon, has already firmly established herself with Burbank patrons, while it is needless to comment on the splendid work of Forrest Stanley in the role of Tom McDermott.

The courtroom scene, the biggest in the play, is unquestionably the most realistic scene of this type that has ever been given on the American stage, being a true and exact reproduction of a New York police court with all of its pathos and humor.

A specially-arranged Christmas show, with Tom Linton, the "Musical Comedy Missionary" and the Jungle Girls in the headline position, is the Pantages announcement for Christmas week. Thiessen's Dog Circus is added as a special feature for the youngsters. Sol Berns, the favorite Hebrew comedian, Johnson & Wells, the colored Terpsichoreans, and Paul Florus, ragtime xylophonist, also come.

The big comedy feature, aside from the Jungle Girls, will be Mr. and Mrs. Rose in their "tariff for revenue only" playlet, "A Matter of Customs." The animated weekly resumes its place on the programme, after a week's absence during the run of the big special feature pictures of "The Garden of Allah."

Willie Ritchie, the lightweight champion of the world, and who recently annexed this very valuable title by defeating Ad Wolgast, is perhaps the most interesting newcomer in the vaudeville world to the Los Angeles stage. Ritchie will be the unusual and undoubtedly attractive star of the new Sullivan & Considine bill opening at the Empress Theater next Monday afternoon, heading a bill of eight acts, an uncommonly big programme arranged especially for the holiday week.

Another important feature of the new bill will be the appearance of the distinguished Hebrew actor, Hyman Adler, who until his plunge into vaudeville was the head of the famous Adler stock company in New York. Mr. Adler, supported by a selected cast, will present his newest one-act success, entitled "The Miser's Dream," in which he has unlimited opportunity to give one of his famous Hebrew characterizations.

The fun hit of the programme will no doubt be scored by the Three Stanleys, bounding net comedians, who have a truly original and highly amusing act.

One week from next Monday night will mark the opening of the New Morosco Theater on Broadway, when the Morosco Stock Company will offer the first stock presentation of Winchell Smith's famous comedy success, "The Fortune Hunter."

The sale of seats for the opening performances will begin at the box office of the Morosco Theater next Monday morning, and the seats will all be disposed of to those first in the line, Manager Morosco having determined that no mail orders would be received for the first week's performances.

The scenic production of "The Fortune Hunter" has been purchased outright by Mr. Morosco from Cohan & Harris, together with the vast number of properties necessary and are now on their way by express to Los Angeles.

The New Cort Theater in New York will open tomorrow night, when "Peg o' My Heart" is given its first metropolitan hearing with Laurette Taylor in the title role in which she appeared for ten weeks at the Burbank Theater here.

On Saturday, immediately following the opening, Mr. Morosco will leave New York for Los Angeles, arriving here on December 26, in time for the opening of the New Morosco Theater on Monday, December 30.

A small-sized army of carpenters, painters, decorators and artisans commence work on the Belasco this morning in converting it from the somber hues of drama to the bright lights of vaudeville. There is one week in which Manager Dailey must make the transition of the new Republic complete as the opening has been set for Monday matinee, December 23.

Rose Randall Murphy, lyric soprano, and perhaps the best-known cabaret singer of San Francisco, is the special attraction in the Brink's cabaret holiday week bill.

This week the Kia Hawaiian Four are the stellar attraction at Brink's. The act consists of four male Hawaiians with good voices, who, singing the sensuous songs of the sunset seas and strumming on mandolins, guitars and ukeleles, make a striking picture in their white suits and purple sashes.

With the Kia quartette on the bill is the Trilby trio, whose specialty is "Three Little Maids," from "The Mikado," sung en costume with apropos gestures; the Angelus Harmony Four in grand opera arias; Lorine Racco Ramona, balladiste, and Erol Collins, piano-fiend and baritone with Bonnie Sinclaire, ragtime artiste. The Buechner concert trio complete the bill.

Clune's three theaters, the Grand, First and Main; the Broadway, between Fifth and Sixth, and the Fifth-street, Fifth and Main, will offer five reels of new first-run pictures at each house the remainder of the week, beginning Thursday. At the Grand a strong western drama, "The Sheriff's Luck," presents some stirring situations. "Glimpses of Montana" is an interesting scenic film. Pathe's Weekly, a reel of trick photography, and several comedies and dramas, conclude the programme.

Clune's Broadway, prettily decorated for the holidays, offers a screaming farce picture, "A Rival of Caruso," a gripping drama, "Lady Claire," and five other pictures, none of which have ever before been shown.

At Clune's Fifth-street house a special Christmas story, "The Night Before Christmas," is offered, with five other pictures, including "The Virtue of Rags," dramatic; "Three Rogues Outwitted," a comedy, and a scenic film, "Picturesque Dalmatia."

The Southern California Public Schoolteachers' Association is giving at the Auditorium this afternoon its annual concert. This year Mme. Gerville-Reache, the celebrated metropolitan contralto, was selected as star singer, and Frederick Preston Search, 'cellist, as the instrumentalist. Gertrude Ross and Walter Chapman, accompanists. The programme is one of the best that Gerville-Reache could arrange, and built entirely for the character of audience which she is endeavoring to not only please but instruct as well, in the beauties of the modern French composers.

At 10:30 last night was an impressive scene at the Arcade depot. The Lambardi special had arrived. The bandboxes, dogs, parrots, trunks, cars of scenery and a babel of tongues congested the passage ways of the depot, filled the street cars, taxicabs and carriages; there were greetings from friends, an addition of garlic to the atmosphere, and the "Grand Old Man," surrounded by his faithful cohorts, made a lasting impression upon the Los Angeles "atmosphere." Yes, the Lambardi songbirds are here, the chorus and the orchestra are ready for rehearsals, the new repertoire arranged, the stars assembled and the four weeks' musical marathon ready for the public. It will take more than a "Ben-Hur" four-in-hand to stagger the teamwork of these versatile Italians at the Auditorium.

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—Fitted traveling toilet cases, $3.75 to $35.

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—desk sets, complete with pad, $3.50 to $35.
—desk novelties, 50c to $12.50.
—smoking sets, $3.50 to $25.
—fountain pens, $2.50 to $12.50.
—box stationery, 25c to $3.50.
—paper and leather novelties, books, hand painted pictures and calendars, 10c to $10.

¶—*in Jewelry—*
—gold and silver mesh purses, $3.50 to $65.
—beaded purses, $5 to $25.
—brooches, lockets, long chains, hat pins, bar pins and other novelties, 50c to $12.50.
—card cases and vanities, gold and silver, $1 to $25.
—cut glass pieces, 75c to $38.50.
—hollow silverware, 50c to $25.
—chafing dishes, $6.50 to $15.
—casseroles, baking dishes, etc., $4.50 to $9.50.

¶—*in Toilet Wares—*
—Parisian Ivory toilet and manicure articles, 25c each to $25 the set.
—sterling silver toilet and manicure articles, 75c each to $50 the set.
—fancy perfumes and toilet waters, 50c to $10.
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NEW LAWS IN THEIR MAKING.

Convention of Legislators Opens Here Today.

Wide Variety of Important Measures Scheduled.

Good of the Southland to Be Gathering's Motto.

Proposed legislative enactments affecting Los Angeles and Southern California will be discussed at the convention of newly-elected solons called by the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce for today and tomorrow. Matters of direct and personal interest to individuals, corporations and associations of this part of the State which are likely to be brought to the attention of the Legislature at its coming session, are to be taken up and endeavors made to arrive at a definite understanding as to just what should or should not be attempted to insure the welfare of the south.

The meeting opens this morning at 10 o'clock in the directors' room of the Chamber of Commerce, with a discussion on proposed county legislation, and during the session a wide variety of subjects will be considered. Efforts have been made to insure in the course of this convention a public avowal on the part of men of standing of the most pressing needs of Southern California as relates to proposed laws. With this purpose in view the speakers have been chosen with special regard to their individual and peculiar fitness for the respective subjects assigned.

There is evident among the more earnest, public-spirited men intrusted with the duty of legislating for the good of the whole people, a growing belief that proposed legislation should be carefully considered before coming up for passage. It is the purpose of the present convention to bring to the members of the Legislature from the south a thorough and complete understanding of the relative merits of the proposed bills.

ON COUNTY LEGISLATION.

Many Los Angeles county officers will take part this morning in the discussion of proposed county legislation. This subject will be presented by Chief Trial Deputy Hamilton, of the District Attorney's office. The various sections of the proposed bills will then be taken up by those county officers whose positions are such as to enable them to best know the peculiar needs of their respective departments. Tax Collector Hopkins, County Assessor Welch, County Auditor Lewis, County Treasurer Hunt, County Recorder Logan and Sheriff Hammel will tell why certain legislation should be advocated at the coming session. Grand jury recommendations will be discussed by Percy Hammon and by C. E. Donnelln and J. K. Urmstrom, of the Finance Committee of that body.

While each subject will be treated in a thorough manner, the individual discussions will be brief and to the point. It is planned in this way to cover a wide range during each day's session. Of particular interest is the subject of corporation taxes as affecting banks. This matter will be treated by Stoddard Jess, president of the First National Bank. The advisability of exempting colleges and universities from the payment of taxes will be taken up by President J. A. B. Scherer, of Throop, and President Baer of Occidental. D. C. Collier, of the Panama-California Exposition, will talk of the merits of proposed legislation affecting the San Diego Exposition.

IRRIGATION; CONSERVATION.

The important question of irrigation and conservation has been reserved for the afternoon session of the opening day, and is scheduled for this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Francis Cuttle of the State Conservation Committee will make an address, to be supplemented by Thomas L. Gooch of Rivera, whose ideas along this line of endeavor are worth knowing. Dr. F. B. Kellogg and Dr. John R. Haynes will talk on civil service legislation.

Investigation on the formation of a minimum wage committee and the certificate of freedom from certain diseases will be discussed by Mrs. Charles Farwell Edson; while general legal matters affecting women will receive the attention of Mrs. George W. Swan, president of the California Federation of Women's Clubs.

Ex-Judge W. Rennie will devote the time allotted to him in talking of the need of better educational laws. School teachers' legislation will be taken up and discussed by Miss Edith Hodgkins. "The Girls' State Training School" will be discussed by Mrs. Amelia Gates. A subject deserving of consideration and one that doubtless will hold the attention of those present is that of the State Bureau of Child and Animal Protection, which will be discussed by Mrs. Rosamond Wright.

Tomorrow morning, at 9:30 o'clock, Judge Wilbur will talk on the Mothers' Pension Bill, his discussion to be be followed by that of Dr. H. G. Brainerd, who will speak on the need of a hospital for the mentally afflicted.

FOR THE M. AND M.

The Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, in its relation to proposed enactments of the Legislature, will be represented before the convention by Secretary Zeehandelaar, whose discussion will be of primary interest to the various business interests of Los Angeles, as well as to Southern California in general. Dr. T. T. Orbison will tell those present what experience and observation has taught him concerning the value of expert testimony in our courts.

The proposed Nurses' Registration Bill will be discussed by Miss A. C. Jamme, former superintendent of Columbia Hospital; Mrs. P. C. H. Pahl, superintendent of Angelus Hospital, and Dr. John R. Haynes. The chiropractic bill will be discussed by Richard Ingalese, attorney for the bill, and Dr. A. W. Richardson, president of the Los Angeles College of Chiropractic.

Needed reform in criminal law will be discussed by Attorney W. J. Hunsaker, who has made a long and exhaustive study of the present badly-deficient code.

At the noon recess tomorrow the members of the Legislature will be guests of the Chamber of Commerce at a luncheon at Exposition Park. The business session will be resumed at 1:30 o'clock, at which time immigration bills, Public Dependence Bill, State Free Employment Bill and Minimum Wage Bill will be taken up by Rev. Dana W. Bartlett.

Under the general subject of "Architectural Legislation," J. J. Backus, superintendent of buildings, will talk on the Burnett Tenement House Act. J. E. Allison will talk on the Department of Agriculture of the State, and Willis F. Morrison and Charles F. Patterson will discuss proposed amendendments to the State law of 1872.

Weights and measures will be discussed by James D. Irotta, City Sealer of Weights and Measures, and forestry work in California will be considered by Mrs. Foster P. Elliot of Oklahoma. The Torrens law amendments will receive the attention of W. H. Robinson of San Francisco, Mrs. Wilbur D. Campbell and Mrs. James S. Scherfel. The needs of the citrus industry will be told by G. Harold Powell. E. P. Clark will tell of a trip to Patton and Riverside. The California Association of Investment Corporations will be represented before the convention by R. M. Watson.

Foiled b'Gosh.

COUNTY CANTERS HOME WITH COIN.

DISTANCES ALL COMERS IN A NEW MARATHON.

Quick Wit of a Justice Court Clerk Beats Out an Attachment by a Few Narrow Seconds and Speeding Fine Sinks Gracefully Into Treasurer's Wednesday Jeans.

It was the county of Los Angeles versus all comers yesterday, when several persons sought to attach the bank account of J. Brent Harding, after Harding had been fined $50 before Justice Reeve for speeding and had started to write a check for Clerk Widney. In the scramble the county came out ahead, thanks to Widney's quickness of wit, and the "iron men" are laid away safely tonight in the Courthouse vaults.

When Attorney George Cook, who was in court, heard the fine pronounced, the minimum for a second offense, he pricked up his ears. Harding asked Widney whether a check would do. The clerk said it would. Harding finished the signature just as Cook pressed forward to the desk.

"Here, let me see that," said the attorney.

"Not on your life," protested Widney. "Court funds, you know. Busy now. Come around later."

Cook peered between Widney's fingers. Perhaps he thought he saw Harding's name on the check. What he did not see was that the slip of dark paper, drawn on the Park Bank, was signed, "Vernon Park Water Company, by J. B. Harding, president and manager." Promptly thereafter there was an attachment filed on Harding's personal account. A deputy constable was sent to the bank. Constable Thomas began to sit up and take notice. He prepared to levy a second attachment.

In the meantime, Widney had conferred with Chief Clerk Parmelee, who grabbed his hat and beat it for the bank. The check was cashed and he returned with the money. The deputy, who had been a lap or two ahead, found no personal account to attach. He fumed as Parmelee gathered in the yellow gold.

While Widney sat on nettles, awaiting the result of Parmelee's trip and harboring visions of being held personally responsible for the fine, he received a telephone message from Cook.

"Hard luck, old man," said Cook. "Sorry the county has to lose out. We didn't fare any better ourselves."

Entered then Parmelee, flourishing a roll of bills.

"Oh, I reckon the county will sled along all right," drawled Widney.

LETTERS TO "THE TIMES."

The Spanking Custom.

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 17.—[To the Editor of The Times:] In your paper of the 5th inst. I noticed where two men were haled into court and severely rebuked for spanking their wives. Both of the women in question deserved all they got and I think the judge was very unjust to condemn the men. One judge said it was worse to spank a wife than to beat him in the face with one's fist. What a brute that judge must be. A spanked woman is rarely marked at all and if she is no one but herself and the one who spanks knows it. A woman with a black eye proclaims her trouble to the world. One of these women was spanked for neglecting her duties. She went to bed at 6 p.m. and failed to prepare her husband's supper. The other did all kinds of bad things, including the throwing of knives at her husband. They both deserved all they got. The Latin races do not beat their wives and children brutally in the face. If their children deserve chastisement, they receive it on the place provided for such punishment. If a woman acts like a woman she is never beaten, but if she acts like a spoiled child, her husband or father takes her across his knee and gives her a spanking. She deserves it, and never thinks of making any complaint. I think the Spanish way much better than the American or English way. The Spanish people have practically no divorces and have happy homes. I have been a Spanish wife many years and have received two or three well-deserved spankings. If my husband had failed to administer them I should have despised him.

I sign my name for good faith.

MANUELLA ORTIZ.

AUTO INJURES TWO.

Machine Turns Turtle and Mysterious Disappearance of Third Passenger Causes Police Investigation.

Pies Christenson, No. 413 East Seventh street, and Clarence Wheeler, No. 1744 East Thirty-sixth street, both 18 years old, were injured near Beverly early yesterday morning when an auto in which they were joy riding turned turtle.

Wheeler sustained a possible fracture of the skull and internal injuries. Christenson escaped with minor bruises and lacerations.

The machine is listed to J. G. Hadley of Alhambra. The boys said yesterday a man driving the machine offered to take them for a ride on the payment of $5. After driving around town, the trio started for Venice. When the car overturned, Christenson says, the stranger, who was not injured, ran away. Detectives are investigating their story.

The Oil Industry.

START WORK ON BIG REFINERY.

General Petroleum Building Plant Here.

Great Pipe Line More Than Half Completed.

Most Difficult Part of Work Has Been Done.

The General Petroleum Company has just started work on a big Trumble topping plant at the corner of Thirty-eighth street and Santa Fe avenue, in this city. The plant is to have a capacity of 20,000 barrels per day, and is to top oil brought through the big pipe line of the company, which will be completed about March 1. All kinds of refined products are to be handled.

At latest advices the great pipe line which the General company is constructing from the Midway field to Los Angeles was more than half completed. All the most arduous and difficult part of the construction over the mountainous regions has been finished, and the workmen are mainly employed in filling in the gap at the upper end to the Midway field, and on this end to the Los Angeles Harbor.

The excavating, etc., is well in advance of the laying of the pipe, as, it is understood, there has been some delay in the arrival of this. However, it is practically certain that the finishing touches will be put on the line by the opening of spring. The easier part of the construction through the valley regions was left for the winter months. Work on this end is centered in the San Fernando division.

The completion of the General company's great pipe line to this city will mark the achievement of one of the greatest industrial projects ever launched in Southern California. A tremendous amount of the Midway district's oil output will be diverted to this city's port.

Besides, the project of the big company also contemplates an extension of the line further north to the Lost Hills, McKittrick and Belridge fields.

Although it is apparent that some of the oil is to be used for refining purposes, the general opinion is that the General Pipe Line Company—which is a subsidiary of the General Petroleum Company—is undoubtedly interested in the fuel oil trade to be opened up by the Panama Canal. In fact, The Times has received advices to the effect that this is the attraction which caused the big company to enter the California oil business on such a large scale, as has been evidenced by the purchase of big holdings in all sections, culminating in the taking of an option on the Union Oil Company.

Evidently the men behind the General company saw the strategic situation of Los Angeles as far as all future business through the canal is concerned, and resolved to make the seaboard at this point the outlet for their oil. Probably, since they have paved the way, other large concerns will also see the same opportunity.

Notes and Personals.

The increase in the production of light oil in California is affording a long-needed relief to gasoline consumers. Prices in Los Angeles have during this month declined 1½ cents, and a further falling off is anticipated. The need created by the shortage in the State during this year has caused such efforts on the part of producers to fill it that there is even a possibility of a future oversupply. Refineries have been taxed to capacity, and there has been a rapid spread in the gasoline-from-gas manufacturing, and this has all contributed to the growth of the supply. Although it is contended that the Rothschild interests are not entering California to cut prices, it is believed that the increase in the supply, because of their importations, will result in a still easier feeling in the market.

Dr. Alexander Dallas, a director of the Caledonian Crude Oil Company, who was in Coalinga connected with the business of the company, has returned to New York. The company is under new management, and it is expected that operations will be resumed in the near future. Delinquent stock was sold in Coalinga last Saturday.

The M. H. & M. Oil Company has struck oil sand in well No. 4, on section 15, 31-22.

The Belridge Oil Company has bought ten 100-barrel tanks for use on its property in the Belridge field.

It is reported that the Dudley No. 2 well, on section 5, 27-21, in the Lost Hills district, has come in as a gusher. It is expected to do about 300 barrels per day.

GOOD OFFER FOR OIL.

Proposition Made to Low Gravity Producers of Fifty Cents a Barrel, According to Report.

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 17.—To a committee representing the Oil Producers' Marketing Association, Col. Timothy Spellacy today submitted an offer for a minimum of 10,000 barrels of oil per day at a price reported to be 40 cents per barrel for the first year and 50 cents for the second. A meeting of the producers of low-gravity oil affiliated with the association has been called for Monday at 10 o'clock at the office of Harry W. Thomas. A statement of Col. Spellacy's offer has been mailed with the call to each member.

It is the expectation that each producer will come prepared to sign up a contract or at least to make an authoritative acceptance or rejection of the offer. If this proposition is accepted it will not be necessary to form an organization to handle the oil, as each producer will make his own contract with the purchasing concern.

The identity of this concern has not yet been made public. Col. Spellacy's assurance that he is dealing with people who will make their offers good is, however, considered sufficient.

Members of the committee present were H. A. Jastro, chairman; C. A. Barlow, T. M. Young, L. P. Guiberson, J. Benson Wrenn was absent. Harry W. Thomas, secretary of the association; S. A. Johnson, G. E. Whitaker and other oil men were present.

The committee has no power to accept or to reject any offer, and can only call the meeting of producers as stated. In the meantime it will receive offers from any other possible purchasers and will submit them along with the offer made through Col. Spellacy.

The committee appointed by the Oil Men's Protective Association to draft a bill for the purpose of protecting the oil fields of the State from damage by infiltrating waters is still in session at Fresno, but expects to finish its work Thursday. This committee is preparing a measure to be submitted to the coming State Legislature to supplement the existing law, which is regarded as inadequate in that it does not provide sufficient funds either for the payment of a water commissioner or for doing such work as cementing or plugging wells which have been abandoned or neglected by owners, and because it does not confer sufficient power upon the water commissioner to take charge where it is necessary for him to do so to prevent serious damage to an oil field.

Heretofore, funds to carry on the work in some fashion have been obtained by levying voluntary assessments on the oil companies interested. The water commissioner has made persuasion and diplomacy answer in lieu of authority.

It is said that Assemblyman W. A. Sutherland, who is a member of the committee, will recommend dividing the oil fields into districts for the purpose of administering the proposed law. This is on the theory that different measures and different rates of assessment for protection from water are needed in the different localities.

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CONSOLIDATION AGAIN ASTIR.

County Cities Lining Up for State-wide Action.

San Gabriel Commission Is Calling Meeting.

Would Also Hold Billboard Convention Here.

The San Gabriel Valley Intercity Commission passed resolutions at luncheon here yesterday calling upon conference early in January committees from the Chamber of Commerce, the City Club and City Council of Los Angeles; District Attorney of Los Angeles county, and delegations from San Francisco, Oakland, Fresno, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego and other large cities to consider the drafting of a city-county consolidation amendment that will be State-wide in character and give any community with a population of 100,000 or more a chance to employ the provisions of the proposed bill.

The committee unanimously decided that in order to meet the extremely high rate of taxation now existent in Los Angeles city and county this measure is an economic necessity.

SEEK GENERAL BENEFITS.

Recalling the recent campaign of the commission against the city and county consolidation amendment, it was shown that the amendment limited the benefits to two cities in the county and was ambiguous in construction.

It was planned by the commission at a future conference to present a constitutional bill for presentation to the coming Legislature, and to incorporate into this bill all the conditions under which city and county consolidation may be effected. This will relieve the small cities from uncertainty as to their rights and will provide not only the complete details of a modern borough system, under which towns in a county may, at their option, operate, but also will provide ample protection in the distribution of the bonded indebtedness.

Letters will be sent at once to the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, Oakland Chamber of Commerce and the important civic bodies of practically all county seats in the State.

VERSUS BILLBOARDS.

The Legislative Committee also decided to call for January 9 a billboard convention, to which will be invited representatives of all leading civic organizations, both men and women; representatives of the billboard interests, a delegation of advertising experts from the Los Angeles Advertising Club, and the city attorneys of all cities in the county. At this meeting the billboard question will be discussed from every angle, and an effort made to harmoniously unite upon the details of a plan of taxation and regulation.

South Pasadena.

TRY AGAIN TO ISSUE BONDS.

PLAN TO PREVENT MISTAKES IN ELECTION PRECINCTS.

Women Temperance Workers Confer. Parliamentary Contest. Masonic Officers Installed and Banquet Follows—Christmas Vesper Services Planned.

SOUTH PASADENA, Dec. 18.—A bond election will be held Saturday at the High School building to vote $70,000 of bonds to erect a Domestic Science building, Manual Training building and to make alterations in the present High School building. The need of additional school facilities is urgent and citizens hope the bonds will be carried by a large majority at this election. They carried five to one at the first election held August 3, but were declared invalid owing to a mistake in the boundaries of the election precincts which failed to cover the entire school district.

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TRIP BY AUTO.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith and six children of Terre Haute, Ind., have arrived in this city to make it their home. Accompanied by their chauffeur they made the trip in an automobile from Terre Haute to Phoenix, Ariz., in twenty-two days without an accident, save the latter town, where the car was left for repairs. Mr. Smith's car was left for repairs. Mr. Manard is requested to get in touch with the float and to ascertain the suggestion of intercity relationship with chains of vicinity by having the twenty little girls from the various cities represent the different

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Amend Charter.

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TIME IS SHORT.

Chairman Lee, in presenting the matter under consideration to the members of the committee, referred to the fact that an attempt at this late date to draft a complete charter could be thwarted by any person having a mind to place obstacles in the way and suggested the advisability of being content for the present with devoting all their energy to securing needed legislation on charter amendments. During the discussion that followed, various speakers dwelt on the necessity for such amendments. It was pointed out that various departments are hampered in the administration of their duties to the public through the inadequate powers conferred by the present charter. The harbor situation and the aqueduct matter were pointed to as examples of the class of legislation most needed. Each member was impressed with the necessity of hard work in order to accomplish the desired result of having the proposed amendments brought before the coming session of the Legislature.

During the course of the discussion the recent attempt to foist a political "charter" on the people of the city was mentioned and the necessity of keeping politics out of the matter and being honest and above board in their dealings was urged by several speakers. In order to get the best results the chairman of the committee was empowered to go outside of his committee in securing men peculiarly well qualified to do the work required of him.

CHAMBER NOT TO ACT.

A ripple of applause was heard in the hall when the secretary read a communication from the Chamber of Commerce, announcing that the membership of that organization by a vote of 849 to 709, had declined to act on the request of the City Council and appoint a Charter Revision Committee, thereby showing their faith in the good judgment and ability of the Executive Committee of the General Citizens' Committee to cope with the situation. The chairman of the Executive Committee announced that he would make his appointments for the sub-committee as quickly as possible.

Prior to taking up the business in hand, Chairman Lee announced the appointment of Oscar C. Mueller as chairman of the Special Committee on Investigation of Harbor Affairs. The appointment of E. W. Britt as member of the Executive Committee to fill a vacancy was also announced.

Westward, Ho!

EYES OF EUROPE ON CALIFORNIA.

DIRECTOR PANAMA-PACIFIC EXPOSITION HERE.

Returns from Abroad With Stories of Preparation There for Great Exodus to the West—Steamship Tickets Being Sold on Installment Plan—Foreign Capital Pouring In.

"The eyes of Europe as well as of America are centered on California and with the opening of the canal we can look for an influx to this State," declared Frank L. Brown, chairman of the Publicity Committee and director of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, and in the business world president of the Palmer Union Oil Company. He arrived at the Alexandria last night from San Francisco after a tour of the East and Europe.

"In Europe the fever is almost an epidemic and the steamship companies are preparing to handle 500,000 persons in 1915," he continued. "They are selling tickets now on the installment plan to those who cannot at once afford the whole payment of the $35 which will be the lowest fare from European ports to California. In the East even staid business men forget their business long enough to talk California at every opportunity that presents itself.

"J. J. Mitchell, one of the great financiers of the Middle West, told me in Chicago a few weeks ago that it would be the matter of only a few years until the population of this State equals that of Massachusetts in the number of people to the acre. This means that there will be upwards of 45,000,000 people in California.

"Europe is looking to the entire west coast, and not only California, but all States and cities this side of the Rocky Mountains will receive the benefit of the exodus abroad. England is pouring capital into British Columbia at the present time and Germany, France and other countries are sending their wealth in this direction to be used in development work."

Speaking of the exposition itself, Brown said there are already more reservations for grounds by various States and foreign countries than ever in the history of any exposition in the United States in the same position as to the time.

"We are having little trouble in securing promises of extensive exhibits from all parts of the world," he said.

He also called to attention the remarkable efforts of foreign nations to install oil burners in all of their merchant marine as well as their battleships.

"The oil fields of California are among the most potential development factors in the world, owing to the immense growth in the use of oil and because every possible effort is being made to place it in ships of all kinds. Two new United States battleships are being fitted with oil burners, which give a double steaming radius and at the same time allows the placing of a sixteen-inch armor plate below the water line, something that has never before been possible.

"Germany is setting forth every possible effort to secure the right kind of oil burners for her ships and is straining to have the merchantmen equipped before the opening of the canal. Steamship operators figure that such a course will help to the supremacy of trade in Atlantic waters. Japan is striving to do the same thing on the Pacific, so it can be said that California is not as yet more than on the dawn of her growth and prosperity."

Brown was met at the depot by his local representative, J. R. West, and several other friends. He will have a conference regarding exposition matters with Frank Wiggins and several members of the Chamber of Commerce today.

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Tejon Route.

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chosen will frequently be blockaded during winter storms, is denied by the engineers taking the survey, which is almost finished at this time. There is no place, according to their reports, where the road cannot be built in such a manner that it will escape the wash from the mountains. Further than that, it will open considerable new territory to settlers, which at present is scarcely accessible, and it will be but a short time before there are as many communities on this route as on the present Tehachepi road.

In addition to the decision choosing the road, the commission plans to rush actual construction as rapidly as the men and supplies can get on the job. The start will be made from both the Los Angeles and Bakersfield ends, according to present plans. The route will go from this city through Burbank, San Fernando, Newhall, Saugus, San Francisquito Canyon, skirt Elizabeth Lake to Tejon, and then Bakersfield. In this manner it will become part of the present wide system of county good roads now nearing completion.

Long Beach.

HANGS FOR FIVE MINUTES; LIVES.

STRENGTH IN FINGERS SAVES PAINTER FROM DEATH.

Scaffold Breaks and Workman Is Left Without Footing—Paroled Convict Demands Trial Rather Than Be Taken Back to Prison. Practical Temperance.

LONG BEACH, Dec. 18.—For five minutes this afternoon J. H. Neil, a painter, hung from the sill of a window in the seventh story of the new Hotel Alexander, at First and Locust avenues, seventy-five feet above the pavement, facing death.

Neil was at work painting the name of the hotel up near the eaves when without warning the pulley platform broke with him. Neil let his paint pot and brush drop and grasped the cement ledge of the window, where he held like grim death until a ladder could be placed to reach him from an adjoining building. Then Neil coolly rigged up a new platform and resumed his painting as if nothing had happened.

Neil says when the platform broke he was uncertain whether to drop his paint bucket or not, but in the instant of his peril decided to try for safety.

DOCTOR ARRESTED.

E. A. Somner of No. 227 Coulter building, Los Angeles inspector of the southern district for the California State Board of Medical Examiners, tonight caused the arrest of Dr. L. J. Hiatt at his office, No. 18½ Pine avenue, this city, on the charge of selling morphine and cocaine.

Inspector Somner alleges that he purchased $5 worth of drugs from Dr. Hiatt this afternoon, paying him with marked money, and that other evidence had been secured in Los Angeles following the arrest of four men partly under the influence of drugs.

Detective Oliver Mitchell served the warrant which was issued in Justice Underwood's court and the detective was accompanied to the physician's office by Somner and Deputy Leon Patrick of Los Angeles. Dr. Hiatt was taken to police headquarters, where he was released on $250 bail.

Deputy Constable Toler, armed with a search warrant, looked through the doctor's office after the arrest and stated he found four bottles of cocaine and considerable morphine. The State law against physicians selling such drugs for profit is strict and the offence with which Hiatt is charged constitutes a high misdemeanor.

DEMANDS TRIAL.

William Van Boyer, the paroled convict, who was arrested here some days ago for burglary and whose identity established by his finger prints, will not return to Folsom unless forced to do so. Hearing that he was being held awaiting the arrival of the State parole officer, Boyer, demanded a jury trial on the burglary charge, asserting that his parole is not broken under the State law until he is convicted. His preliminary hearing is set for tomorrow. Boyer is charged with robbing a fellow-employee and one bill which had a pin hole burned in it was found on the prisoner.

PRACTICAL TEMPERANCE.

Rev. Baker P. Lee, pastor of Christ Church, Los Angeles, will speak at the Auditorium Friday evening under auspices of the Business Men's Association, and in favor of practical temperance as advocated by charter amendment No. 25, which favors meal privileges for hotels of 200 or more rooms. Thomas Murphy, grandson of the great red ribboner, will be one of the speakers.

AFTER MANY YEARS.

Lecario Martines, who carved a rival several weeks ago, and has since eluded the police, was located in Los Angeles today and brought back by Detective Cervantes. Martines says that Cravez, his victim, attempted to shoot him and he stabbed in self-defense. He is charged with deadly assault.

BEACH BRIEFS.

Using a short-barreled target gun at a local gallery, John Briner placed his left hand over the muzzle and shot at a clay figure. He knocked the target to pieces, but also shot entirely through his left forefinger. The wound is a clean puncture and the finger will not have to be amputated.

Mrs. Clara J. Cowperthwaite, aged 55 years, whose husband died just a month ago, passed away last night at her home.

Louis Murdock, for five years with the Title Insurance and Trust Company of Los Angeles, succeeds E. N. Strong as escrow clerk in the National Bank of Long Beach.

GOVERNOR STIRS WRATH.

Ocean Park Chamber of Commerce Enraged at Actions of State's Executive.

OCEAN PARK, Dec. 18.—Members of the Chamber of Commerce are enraged because of the action of Gov. Johnson in referring their request that he remove Commissioner Darlington of the State Highway Commission to that body itself. A letter received today by Secretary McLeod of the Chamber and immediately placed in the hands of the directors seemingly attempts to make fools of the members and a joke of the request of the boosting body.

Instead of replying to the request that he remove Darlington, the Governor referred the request to Darlington himself, who wrote the Chamber as follows: "Your communication with reference to routing the State Highway from Santa Barbara south has been referred by the Governor to this department for attention, and it will receive the prompt and serious attention of the commissioners." That Darlington would consider for a moment the removal of himself from the commission is a thing that the local Chamber members cannot conceive of. The Governor will hear from the Chamber, a little more forcibly this time.

---Just to Top the Kid's Christmas Stocking ---a Bank Book

IT'S a long way from our intention to go on record as recommending a wholly sensible Christmas. The Holiday Season, devoid of tin toys and trifles, would be a miserable affair indeed.

But the youngster who, nowadays, starts life without a common bank-book education, without knowing somewhat of the value of the little, hard, round, silver dollar, and the part that the little, hard, round, copper pennies play in the little silver dollar's growth, is working under a handicap which it will take him years to overcome. If you don't believe that, ask any charter member of the Father-made-the-money Club.

The girl who looks forward, from the time of her adolescence, merely to being married and having some one to support her, is a back number. The youths of nowadays are marrying live, competent, aggressive, business-like helpmates, who know the value of money, and who, in a pinch, can make money for themselves. The day of the feminine fainter has passed.

And so, whether it is for a boy or a girl, or both, that you are planning a Christmas, just add $1.00 to the price you had intended to pay for the gift and top the stocking with the sensible, practical, character-building present of a bank book with a $1.00 deposit in it.

We take an interest that, at first blush, might seem all out of proportion in that boy and girl of yours. We have made special preparations for your Christmas bank book giving. For the boy and girl of today are the men and women of tomorrow with whom we shall do business, to whom we shall lend money, towards whose success we hope to be a factor.

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Cities and Towns of Los Angeles County

NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

Pasadena.

PRIVATE MOTION PICTURE SHOWS.

Little Tots Have Reels All to Themselves.

All Nationalities to Hold Christmas Jubilee.

To Call Big Bond Election for Next February.

PASADENA, Dec. 19.—John and Helen Henry, aged 6 and 9 respectively, the children of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Henry, who only a few months ago completed and moved into one of the most magnificent mansions in Oak Knoll, at No. 1139 Oak Knoll avenue, enjoy the distinction of being the proprietors of what is perhaps the only motion picture show in the country to be set up in a private residence. A machine and screen, with a supply of films, have been placed in the reception room of the Henry home for the sole delight of the little boy and girl.

The construction of the miniature theater (which is not so small after all, since pictures five by eight feet in dimensions are projected) was only recently completed. The machine was sent to be put in operation at a Christmas party to be given there on the 26th inst. Master John and Miss Helen have sent invitations to about thirty of the children of Oak Knoll and other fashionable parts of the city for what will be one of the most elaborate children's parties ever given.

Their father, who is the largest manufacturer of paper pulp in the country, and their mother, have promised them the freedom of the house and the spacious grounds for the occasion and the picture machine will probably be operated by the millionaire himself for their enjoyment.

The programme of the afternoon will consist, first, of some readings by Miss Eleanor Miller, then of the incomparable moving pictures, which have long been under discussion, and which are to transport the youngsters to the seventh heaven of bliss; to be followed by a Christmas tree, on which will hang presents for all, and after that, a Christmas dinner.

The moving picture machine was not added to the Henry residence as an afterthought. The house was originally designed to contain it, to be used by the children, both as a means of entertainment and an aid in their education.

"I think if the films are chosen judiciously motion pictures can be made to play a very important part in a child's education," said Mrs. Henry yesterday. "We have proceeded in nowise so far. We have one film showing the manufacture of glass, another that shows a drill by a police department; another relating to Hop Yong Kee's Christmas Association. We shall procure fairy tales and similar films that are suitable for children, and, in fact, whatever may be interesting and beneficial to them. We hope that they and their little friends will derive a great deal of enjoyment from the use of the machine. It is not difficult to operate. Mr. Henry will probably have to operate it for them the first time."

Mrs. Henry added that she favors the use of moving pictures in the schools, as has long been advocated by some Pasadenans.

GUESTS OF ALL NATIONS.

A unique Christmas entertainment has been arranged by the Pasadena Young Woman's Christian Association. The members of the organization of American birth will assemble around a Christmas tree the night of December 26 as the guests of those of foreign birth. The latter will be attired in their native costumes, and the customs of each of their several countries will be carried out in some feature of the evening's programme. Songs of different nations will be sung and dances danced.

The morning of the 26th a party of the young women will leave for several days of camp life in the Arroyo Seco. They will go attired in winter costume and take plenty of warm wraps with them in case there should be snow. They will chop their own wood, make their own fires, and not a man will be allowed to come within the precincts of their camp.

A concert is to be given at the auditorium building tonight, to which a general invitation has been extended to both men and women. Numbers will be rendered by Leo Oefinger, pianist; George F. Antimall, tenor, and Gail Morgentaler, baritone.

ELECTION IN FEBRUARY.

That a special election will probably be called in February, and that a proposed bond issue to the amount of something like $135,000 will then be voted on, is the announcement of Mayor Thum. The intention of the Mayor and the City Councilmen is first to have the following projects come before the people for consideration: The purchase by the city of the property on which Carmelita Playground is located; the purchase of Monk's Hill in the northern part of the city for a park; the purchase of Raymond Arroyo Seco property; the complete transformation of the apparatus of the fire department into motor-propelled vehicles.

An apportionment of the estimate has been roughly made by the Mayor as follows:

Carmelita Playground project, $75,000; Monk's Hill project, $40,000; Arroyo Seco Park, $40,000; cost of changing in the equipment of the fire department, $20,000.

It is the intention of the Councilmen not to couple or group any of the questions, but to put them all separately on the ballot. No exact date for the election has yet been determined upon. It will probably be called early in the month.

CITY BRIEFS.

The opening dinner at the Hotel Raymond tonight will be one of the society events of the winter. Many Pasadenans and Angelenos will be present. A concert will follow.

Extensive plans have been made by the Pasadena Athletic Club. The club is soon to be incorporated for $100,000. It is expected that a membership of 500 may soon be obtained and the club may later put up a building of its own. Andrew S. Allen has been elected president, to serve for the coming year.

C. C. Chapman, a prominent orange-grower of Fullerton, will be a guest of honor at the luncheon of the Board of Trade to be given at the Hotel Green at noon today. The principal speaker will be Rev. Frank M. Dowling, a former pastor of the First Christian Church.

A notable social function of the year will be a reception and dance that will be given at the Valley Hunt Club tonight by Mrs. Charles Henry Hamilton of No. 490 East California street for her daughters, the Misses Marian and Alice Hamilton. Several hundred society persons of Pasadena and Los Angeles have been invited. The affair will mark the debut of Miss Alice Hamilton. The clubhouse is being handsomely decorated with flowers.

In a four-column article, published in a local newspaper yesterday, Thomas D. Allen, a member of the Board of Water Commissioners, praised the Owens River water system, which the commissioners recently inspected. He declares the criticism that has been heard from time to time to be unfounded.

J. I. Nagamatsu, who came to America from Japan eight years ago, and who has been attending the Zamorino University here, will leave January 4 to return to his native land as a Christian missionary.

Thirteen Greeks left the city yesterday for Athens. They are returning to the land of their birth prepared to enter the army when they reach there, if their services are required.

City Engineer Van Orsum is now at work on plans for the proposed Imhoff septic tank for the city farm. This is the tank that was recommended by City Health Officer Black on his return from the Congress of Hygiene, held at Washington, D. C., last summer.

In order to familiarize himself with the affairs of the office, James S. Bennett, who is to become City Attorney January 1, will take up his headquarters at the office in the City Hall next week.

The case against Mrs. John Wolfskill of No. 222 Arroyo Terrace, who was charged with battery and disturbing the peace upon complaint of Nookky Hamilton, a negro cook, which was set for hearing before Justice of the Peace McDonald yesterday, did not come to trial. The complaint was dismissed.

The members of the Overland Club will have a Christmas tree at their clubhouse the night of December 27.

Wadsworth sells paints.—[Advertisement.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena.—[Advertisement.

Royal Laundry shoe-repair department. Phones 69.—[Advertisement.

Christmas cards. Wigwam, 61 N. Euclid.—[Advertisement.

Glove orders and merchandise bonds turned at Herter's.—[Advertisement.

NEW SCHOOL SITE.

HAWTHELLE, Dec. 18.—A site of five acres, bounded by Minnesota and Illinois avenues, Eighth and Ninth streets, known as the Major property, was selected as the new Central school site by a mass meeting of citizens assembled in the Commercial Club rooms last night. The report of this advisory body will probably be favorably acted upon by the members of the school board, and $9500 be paid for the handsome property. A school to cost from $15,000 to $20,000 will be erected on the site if the citizens vote the bonds soon to be the subject of an election. The only school in Hawthelle burned to the ground a few weeks ago.

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Pomona.

COLLEGE HEADS GIVEN OFFICES.

REORGANIZATION OF REPUBLIC EFFECTED BY BOARD.

Plans for George Junior Village Adopted by the Administration. Street Lighting System Extended by Council—Parent-Teachers Prepare to Carry Christmas Cheer.

POMONA, Dec. 17.—The new Board of Trustees of the California George Junior Republic located on the Chino ranch southeast of here has organized by electing Dr. George S. Sumner of Pomona College, president; Dr. John Willis Baer of Occidental College, vice-president; David Blankenhorn of Pasadena, secretary; M. I. Stewart of Pasadena, treasurer. Gerald C. Waterhouse is the superintendent and Clyde Doyle, formerly truant officer in Los Angeles, is assistant superintendent.

The present staff of teachers, matrons and foremen at the Republic includes Mrs. Mary Hibbah, John Brewer cottage; Miss Josephine Jordan, La Paloma cottage; Miss Mary Hopkins, Pioneer cottage; Miss Bertha Oliver, public school; Miss Elisabeth de Wolf, commercial class; Fred Schmeutzler, public school; Miss Clara Morgan, music and literary teacher; F. G. Temme, in charge of print shop; Miss Bertha Barnard, field secretary; E. V. Davis, master carpenter; W. P. Wesson, bookkeeper; W. J. Cordner, in charge of cobbler shop; George Olds, farm foreman; C. C. Jones, electrical work; Howard Berryman, in charge of afforestation; Frank Clyne, in charge of gardens and nursery; John McKay, house carpenter; Mrs. M. Bryce, in charge of poultry yards and hospital, and Mr. and Mrs. L. Johnson, in charge of the central cooking plant from which meals are furnished to all of the dormitories.

Architect Myron Hunt of Los Angeles has prepared plans for a village which will be laid out according to a set scheme and perfected as funds are available. All buildings from now on will be erected to conform to this plan.

COUNCIL'S ACTS.

The street lighting system has been extended by the City Council a distance of approximately 1360 feet on South Garey avenue below Grand avenue. This improvement will result in furnishing lights on Garey avenue as far as Phillips boulevard. Lights will also be placed on Huntington boulevard from Holt avenue to the park.

The Lighting Committee has under consideration applications for more lights in other parts of the city and the extensions will be ordered as fast as funds are available.

The Council has donated to Co. D $55, the amount of city taxes on the company's property here.

PARENT TEACHERS.

The Pomona Federation of Parent-Teachers Associations met in the public library this afternoon to provide ways and means whereby the Federation may help the needy and deserving of this city to pass a pleasant Christmas. The local Fruit and Flower Mission, the Elks and other lodges are planning their annual holiday charity work, as well as the several churches and religious organizations here.

Beginning the latter part of this week and continuing until after Christmas, will be held the St. Nicholas exercises and Christmas trees of the local Sunday-schools.

NEWS BRIEFS.

J. M. Fryer, who has been ill for some time at his home in Spadra, but was reported to have been improving, is in a critical condition suffering from pneumonia. Fryer is one of the pioneer residents of Pomona Valley, is prominent in the First Baptist Church of this city and is one of the prominent and well-known men of the Spadra-Walnut district.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Freyburger have arrived here from Peki, near Quita, Africa, where they are missionaries connected with the North Bremen Mission. They will pass six months in the United States recuperating from the effects of the starvating African climate. Mrs. Freyburger is a sister of Miss Regina Ilg of this city.

P. J. McGough of the Southern California Edison Company, this city, has been at Chino taking orders for gas and electric service there which the company is about to install. The City Council of Chino has sold the gas franchise to the Southern California Edison Company.

D. C. Potter has purchased for $18,000 some orange acreage in the former Richards ranch at North Pomona and will improve the property with a home. The sale was made by F. M. Ritter.

Robert G. Loucks, E. J. Fleming and E. A. de Camp of Los Angeles and I. M. Asher of Hines were among the out-of-town former members of Aetna Lodge, Knights of Pythias, who attended the annual home-coming celebration of the lodge at Castle Hall last evening. Kenton A. Miller and Charles Stansbury of Los Angeles, who are prominent in Pythian circles, were also present.

Rev. Father Caneally of St. Joseph's Church has gone to Oakland to attend the silver jubilee of Rev. Father York of that city, who is in charge of St. Anthony diocese. Rev. Father Morris of Los Angeles is in charge of St. Joseph's parish temporarily.

The local camp of Woodmen of the World held an enthusiastic initiation of new members this evening. The camp is prosperous and growing rapidly. The baseball team of the camp is endeavoring to arrange a match game with the San Bernardino camp's team for New Year's Day.

Byron's Troubadours, instrumentalists and vocalists, gave a splendid entertainment at the Fraternal Aid Theater last evening under the auspices of the Barnes class of Pilgrim Congregational Church. The entertainers were considerably above the usual traveling musical concert organizations.

The Times' Midwinter Number will be issued on January 1, next. This widely-read issue, containing 192 pages consisting of six illustrated magazine parts, with illuminated covers and copiously illustrated throughout, has always proved a profitable medium for classified advertisers, especially to those desiring to sell or exchange country real estate and city residences, or to exploit business chances and investments. The country-wide circulation of the forthcoming Midwinter Number will exceed 200,000 copies, and the issue will afford display and classified advertisers a splendid opportunity to reach thousands of homeseekers and investors. Classified advertisements, 5 cents a word; minimum charge, $1. Copy must be in The Times office before December 20, 1912. Display advertising rates furnished on application. The Times-Mirror Company.

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Story of the Day's Events Below Tehachepi's Top

NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

Santa Ana.

ONE SAYS YES, THE OTHER NO.

Officers Say Identification Is Beyond Doubt.

Northerners Endeavoring to Project an Alibi.

Circumstantial Evidence Is Accumulating.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SANTA ANA, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Bradford Hudson, son of W. S. Hudson of Inglewood, telephoned here today that from the picture in The Times this morning he is sure the desperado is a man who went by the name of Clarence Curran of Tulare county at Inglewood and Glendale.

He says Curran told him his right name was Joe Matlock and that recently Curran took out a $5000-life insurance policy in The Times subscription contest in favor of Miss Louise Haenggi, who lives near Inglewood.

SANTA ANA, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "The dead desperado is Joe Matlock," wired Sheriff Ruddock of Orange county to Sheriff Bowen of Eugene, Or.

"Your man is not Matlock; he is Ira Jones," was the reply.

"The man here is Matlock," again wired Ruddock, positively.

That the desperado who assaulted Myrtle Huff Sunday night, escaped to the foothills and Monday killed Under Sheriff Robert Squires and wounded three other men before he was brought to earth is Matlock, is taken here as proving almost beyond question.

True, no man has yet looked at the corpse and said he knew Matlock and knew absolutely that it was Matlock's dead face he saw, yet the officers here are fully satisfied. Today when Sheriff Hammel and Under Sheriff Brain of Los Angeles were here after attending Squires's funeral, they compared the police circular picture and description with the corpse and said they had no doubt but what the dead man is Matlock.

STRONG EVIDENCE.

But the officers do not have to depend upon a police circular for identification. They have other evidence that makes them feel certain the bandit was Joe, son of J. D. Matlock, ex-Mayor and prominent capitalist and politician of Eugene, Or.

The connecting links were furnished by Stratford Hudson, son of W. S. Hudson of Inglewood; E. E. McClanahan of No. 118 South Rampart street, Los Angeles, and J. Wiley Harris of Santa Ana. On picking up the Los Angeles Times this morning Hudson saw the picture therein of Joe Matlock. He recognized it instantly as the picture of a man who was known to Hudson as Clarence C. Curran, but who in unguarded moments had disclosed to Hudson that his name was Joe Matlock. Hudson worked on the Haenggi ranch at Globe, near Porterville, with Curran. Last May, while at Globe, Hudson was trying to kill a chicken with a 22-caliber rifle, the rifle was discharged and the bullet went through a wall into the house and hit Curran in the abdomen.

"If the man at Santa Ana is the man I knew he has a scar left by an operation," telephoned Hudson.

BODY HAS SCAR.

A scar is on the corpse and was taken at first to be a scar left from an operation for appendicitis.

Next came word from McClanahan. He said he had seen Matlock in Los Angeles several times in the last two months. He knew him by no other name than Matlock.

"If it is Matlock he has a scar on his abdomen," telephoned McClanahan. "He told me he was accidentally shot in the adomen while near Porterville six months ago."

Tonight J. Wiley Harris, an abstract man, secretary of the Fraternal Aid, positively identified the dead desperado as a man who on December 7 was given $5 by Harris. The man appealed for aid as a member of the Fraternal Aid. He signed a receipt as C. C. Curran, the same name used by the man known to Hudson.

Hudson was here tonight and while he, with Dr. L. L. Whitson, formerly of Eugene, are well satisfied that the man is the one they knew, Hudson knowing him as Curran and Whitson as Matlock, Hudson would not completely and conclusively identify the corpse.

"I am so well satisfied that the man is Matlock that I know it," said Sheriff Ruddock. "I believe that the man's father does not want to claim the desperado as his son."

ASKS INSTRUCTIONS.

Coroner Winbigler tonight will wire the ex-Mayor of Eugene that the man shot here was Matlock and ask what disposal shall be made of the body.

After leaving the hospital in Porterville, the man evidently went to Portland, Or., where he was known as Ira Jones, for in the desperado's pockets were money order receipts issued to Ira Jones. The Eugene Sheriff seems convinced that Ira Jones and Joe Matlock were separate individuals. The officers here believe Ira Jones, C. C. Curran and Joe Matlock were one.

Hudson stated that three weeks ago Curran telephoned to him and told him to tell Miss Louise Haenggi of Inglewood that he had taken an insurance policy through a subscription agent of The Times in favor of Miss Haenggi. He said the policy was in the Pacific Surety Company and was numbered Y. A. 903,793. He said the policy was in a safety deposit box in the All Night and Day Bank of Los Angeles. Miss Haenggi was at the Globe ranch, owned by her father, where Curran worked when he was shot. Hudson says that Curran worked for a man named Hall, a second-hand dealer at Glendale.

Today the funeral of Under-Sheriff Squires was the largest funeral ever held here. The pall-bearers were Sheriff Ruddock of Orange county, Sheriff Hammel of Los Angeles county, Superior Judge Z. B. West, County Clerk W. B. Williams, Deputy Sheriff George C. Law, Deputy Sheriff E. W. Boynton and City Marshal Samuel Jernigan.

MATLOCK'S RECORD.

BROTHER STILL DEFENDS.

EUGENE (Or.) Dec. 18.—Joe Matlock Jr., son of a former Mayor of Eugene, had an unenviable record here. While yet a High School boy in October, 1903, he assaulted a young girl and was arrested. He forfeited bail of $250 and was not seen in the town for several years.

He married but his wife sought a divorce, charging inhuman conduct. While the suit was pending he was arrested October 15, 1909, for assault on a girl. At the trial he admitted the crime, but maintained the girl had accepted a ring from him. He was convicted but appealed and was released on bail of $1500 which his father, who was then Mayor, and his brother furnished. He did not appear for trial, and the bond was paid. He has not been since seen in Eugene.

Ira Jones the name first given to the desperado, is the name of Matlock's brother-in-law.

E. D. Matlock, brother of Joe Matlock, Jr., declared tonight that Joe is in Australia—that less than two weeks ago he received a cablegram from him. He refused to give any more definite location than "Australia," and further than saying that Joe had broken his leg, would give no details.

Ontario.

AIM BATTERIES TO FREE WOMEN.

DEFENSE WOULD SAVE MOTHER FOR HER CHILDREN.

Preacher and Wife Held to Superior Court on Charges of Obtaining Money Under False Pretenses — Los Angeles Attorney Tries Every Trick to Turn Tide.

ONTARIO, Dec. 18.—In the preliminary hearing before Judge J. R. Pollock this afternoon of Rev. Charles Lawrence and Alberta Lawrence, charged with obtaining money under false pretenses through the alleged bogus sale of a crop of oranges, E. J. Flemming, attorney for the defendants, expended every effort in his power to have Mrs. Lawrence left out of the charge and attempted to show, without avail, that she was not a party to the transaction. At the close of the hearing, however, both the preacher and his wife were held to answer to the Superior Court. They are now at liberty under $2000 bonds each.

Attorney Flemming used his entire time in attempting to get witnesses to admit that Mrs. Lawrence had not figured in the deal in which the defendants are alleged to have given a deed to E. A. Welch, an Ontario rancher, for property they never owned, but it developed, according to testimony, that the deed was given by Mrs. Lawrence and the property claimed by her as her own.

It is said that the effort made to drop Mrs. Lawrence from the proceedings is for the sake of their three small children. Mrs. Lawrence recently wrote for Pasadena and Long Beach papers and through this work became more or less prominent in a number of exclusive clubs, among them the Shakespeare Club of Pasadena, which recently demanded her resignation. Mrs. Lawrence was accompanied to court this afternoon by her sister, Mrs. Albert Hatcher Smith, wife of a former Baptist minister of Pasadena, and said to be prominent in Pasadena society.

FOOTHILL NOTES.

The Ontario City Council has taken the first steps towards the passage of a new traffic ordinance, regulating chiefly the driving of automobiles. Among the most notable features of the new law is that which will require that all machines be driven with their mufflers closed within certain districts in the city.

The ordinance will also require that all vehicles traveling on the city streets at night carry tail lights. It will also prohibit a machine pulling up to the left side of a street without first turning around.

Property owners on South Euclid avenue have petitioned the City Council to open up the west drive of Euclid as far south as Ely street. At present the double drive extends only to Dessau street.

The property owners south of here offer to donate sufficient of their land to open the street through a mile further south.

Children's Bicycles—We deliver; open evenings. Appeal, 927 So. Main.

MYSTERIOUS FIRE.

Fire of doubtful origin, but thought to have been caused by an explosion of gasoline, shortly after 10 o'clock last night destroyed the one-story frame building at No. 513 South Griffin avenue owned by Z. Riolo and leased by Mrs. R. Grenzille. The damage is estimated to be $600, of which $500 was on the building and the rest on the contents. An investigation will be made by the Police and Fire Departments.

How to Do It.

WHO WANTS TO EARN A THOUSAND DOLLARS?

THERE is a chance for a Christmas present of kingly proportions. It requires little or no work and half an hour may mean $1000 for the man or woman whose memory is good and who can locate Edward Wamsley.

For several days M. J. Connors, a former mining man of Butte, Mont., who with his wife is at the Hayward, has been searching the records of the hospitals to locate, if possible, the missing man who came to Los Angeles from twelve to fifteen years ago. During his stay in the city he was taken suddenly and seriously sick and went to one of the hospitals.

It was from there that he wrote his sister, Mrs. Connors, the last that has been heard from him up to this time. Letters addressed to him here within a year have been returned with the postoffice stamp of no such party in the city across the face of the envelope. Consequently, Mr. and Mrs. Connors have come to take up personally the search so that Wamsley, if he is living, may obtain his share in the $10,000,000 estate left by his uncle, Edward Rutledge, a lumber and timber operator of Chippewa Falls, Wis., when he died a little more than a year ago.

This share amounts to only $125,000, since Wamsley was only a cousin and there was a total of nineteen heirs. Connors thinks the amount sufficiently large, however, to make a very thorough search for the man so long missing and offers $1000 for information leading to his discovery. Wamsley was interested in mining and ranching, and if not successful for himself, he may be working in poverty and obscurity in some mining camp or some ranch in this vicinity.

Redondo Beach.

SEA GIVES UP MORE PARTS OF AEROPLANE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

REDONDO BEACH, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] An aviator's gauntlet, a life-preserver, and a piece of an aeroplane's tail were found at Abalone Point, nine miles below here, by William Bell and Leo Benstead, two boys who with hundreds of others have been searching the shore-line for wreckage.

The articles are believed to be part of the wreckage of the ill-fated hydro-aeroplane of Horace Kearny and Chester Lawrence.

Another party returned from Barney's Camp, four miles south of here, this afternoon with the report they had found a pair of black serge trousers, the pieces of two shirts, a small piece of Goodyear rubber such as is used on aeroplanes, and a piece of canvas. The clothes and other articles were found in the kelp beds at Barney's Camp where the pieces of wreckage, supposed to be parts of the hydro-aeroplane, were found yesterday.

Glen Masterson, a 15-year-old boy, J. H. Culverson and his son, Lloyd, of this city, found the articles but did not bring them to Redondo Beach today, having hidden them at the cove. Half a mile nearer Redondo Beach young Masterson says he saw a dark object floating on the water about half a mile out which looked like a part of the aeroplane. He also found another piece of the vest found yesterday, he says.

Paul Banzhaf, who found the pontoon and broken rudder yesterday, today found a water bottle which is thought to have belonged to the aviators.

Other parties are being organized to start early tomorrow morning for further search for the bodies of the aviators or wreckage of the hydro-aeroplane.

TO ENLARGE CAPITAL.

Plan Will Be Submitted to Stockholders in Doheny Company for Ten Million Increase.

A plan to increase the common stock of the Mexican Petroleum Company, Ltd., from $35,000,000 to $45,000,000 is to be submitted to the stockholders on December 31, according to an announcement made yesterday. It is understood that one of the purposes of the increase is the developing of the interests of the company in Mexico, principally in the matter of transportation of oil.

The company has tremendous quantities of oil in storage, produced almost altogether by the great Casino well No. 7 of the Huasteca Petroleum Company. This great producer yields an average of more than 23,000 barrels per day. Six tank steamers to transport the great accumulation have been building in England, and it is figured that by virtue of the increased facilities the company will be in a position to add to its production. Casino No. 6, which has been closed in since completed and which promises to be as great a producer as No. 7, will probably be opened up then.

LECTURE ON ADVERTISING.

With John Renfrew of the National Educational Committee of the Associated Advertising Clubs of America ill, the scheduled stereopticon lecture on "Human Interest in Advertising" at the Y.M.C.A. last night was delivered by W. G. Adams, advertising manager of the Coulter Dry Goods Company and secretary of the Los Angeles Ad Club. It was one of the series of twelve lectures being delivered under the auspices of the Education Committee of the Associated Clubs.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS RELENTS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—A decision to permit the confirmation of army and navy appointments before the holiday recess was reached today by a caucus of Democratic Senators. All other nominations are to be held up until after the holidays.

CREMATED TWO CHILDREN.

FT. SMITH (Ark.) Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Accused of starting a fire that cremated two of his children, probably fatally burned two others and caused the disappearance of a fifth, Marion Capp, a miner, was arrested near Bonanza today. The fire occurred early this morning. Neighbors said Capp was insane.

Smith's "A California Grocery Store"

Just Five More Shopping Days to Xmas

We would very much appreciate your order today to enable us to give you the very best attention and service. The following list will help you:

OLIVES—California Ripe Olives. Samples at Counter.
Medium size—Bulk, per qt., 25c; gallon tins, 90c.
Large size—Bulk, per qt., 35c; gal. tins, $1.25.
Fancy—Bulk, per qt., 45c; gal. tins, $1.50.
Extra fancy—Bulk, per qt., 55c; gal. tins $1.75.

CRESCA BRAND—Olive Fancies. Olives stuffed with Anchovies.
Small bottle 20c
Medium bottle 30c
Large bottle 60c

SNIDER'S Oyster Cocktail Sauce—Regular 25c size, 22c; $2.60 doz.

25c Per Doz. Eastern Eggs Per Doz. 25c

MELBA PEACHES—Glass Jars, special, per jar, 65c.

PLUM PUDDING—Gordon & Dilworth's Finest.
No. 1 Tins, each.....25c
No. 2 Tins, each 45c

RICHARDSON & ROBBINS Plum Puddings—No. 1 Tin, 25c; No. 2 Tin, 45c.

PLUM PUDDINGS—"Own Make." From the same recipe that proved so popular last season. No. 1 size 25c; No. 2 size 50c.

MINCE MEAT—"Own Make." Same as used in our popular mince pies—per lb., 20c; 2 lbs. for 35c.

ATMORE'S MINCE MEAT—No. 3 jars—each 75c.

ATMORE'S OR NONE-SUCH—Compressed Mince Meat 10c pk.

NOT-A-SEED RAISINS—16-oz. Cartons, 10c; 3 for 25c.

NUTS—California Walnuts.
No. 1 Unbleached, 2 lbs. for 35c.
No. 1 Bleached, per lb., 20c.
Fancy Budded Bleached, per lb. 25c.

CALIFORNIA ALMONDS—I. X. L. Almonds, 15c lb., 2 for 25c.

HICKORY NUTS—"Eastern," per lb., 10c.

EASTERN BLACK WALNUTS—Per lb., 10c.

BRAZIL NUTS—13c lb.; 2 lbs. for 25c.

FRESH COCOANUTS—Large, 10c; small, 3 for 25c.

RAISINS, FANCY CLUSTERS—1 lb. Cartons, 15c; 2 for 25c. 2-lb. Cartons, each 25c. 5-lb. Cartons, each 75c.

FANCY CLUSTER RAISINS, in bulk
Extra Fancy to 6-Crown, 2 lbs. for 25c; 20-lb. box $3.00.
Extra Fancy 5-Crown, 15c per lb.; 20-lb. box $2.25.
Fancy 3-Crown, 3 lbs. for 25c; 20-lb. box $1.50.

SPECIAL LOOSE TABLE RAISINS 3 lb. bxes., each 10c

SEEDED RAISINS—Fancy Seeded in 16-oz. Cartons, 3 for 25c. Choice seeded in 16-oz. Cartons, each 5c.

CRYSTALLIZED PEEL—California Orange, per lb., 20c. California Lemon, per lb., 20c. California Citron, per lb., 20c.

DATES—Fancy Fard Dates, per lb., 15c.

2 Lbs. 25c Fancy Cape Cod Cranberries 2 Lbs. 25c

BUCKWHEAT—Old "Times" Brand. New Eastern Buckwheat. 5 lb. Sack, 30c. 10 lb. Sack, 55c

MAPLE SAP SYRUP—Adirondack Brand Pine Sap. Pint Tins, 30c Quart Tins, 55c. ½-Gal. Tins, 90c Gallon Tins, $1.75.

BAKERS' OR LOWNEY'S COCOA—Half Pound Tins, Each 20c.

DOLE'S PINEAPPLE JUICE—Regular 25c size, 20c — $2.40 Dozen. Regular 50c size, 37c — $4.45 Dozen.

C. & C. BELFAST GINGER ALE—15c Bottle. $1.75 Dozen.

CORN—New Season's Pack—Fancy Maine, 15c — $1.65 Dozen. Royal Maine, 2 for 25c; $1.45 Dozen. Fancy Western, 3 for 25c; $1.60 Dozen.

ASPARAGUS—El Capitan (Brand)—Hickmott's No. 2½ Tins 20c; $2.40 Doz.

FIGS—Imported Turkey Figs—Specially priced: 4 Crown size, per lb., 15c. 5 Crown size, per lb., 20c. 6 Crown size, per lb., 25c.

FANCY TURKISH PULLED FIGS—Per lb., 30c.

CRESCA BRAND FIGS—Extra Fancy Layers, packed in tins No. 2½ size, per tin, 15c. No. 5 size, per tin, $1.50.

PEELED PEACHES—Extra Fancy, per lb., 25c.

PINEAPPLE—"Tidbits," Fancy Cubes of Hawaiian Pineapples in Syrup. No. 2. Large Tin, 25c; $2.75 Dozen.

PINEAPPLE—No. 2, Sliced, per Tin, 15c; $1.65 Doz.

CIDER—New York State—Per gallon, 40c.

Per lb 30c Fancy Local Turkeys 30c per lb.

SPECIAL—Mince Pies, Pumpkin Pies, Plum Puddings, Fruit Cake Pastries, etc. These are all our own make and we take pride in delivering them to you in the best of condition. To do this we

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IMPORTANT CHANGE of TIME

Sunday, Dec. 22, 191

The "COASTER" will [illegible] Leave Los Angeles [illegible] San Francisco and intermediate stations. Arrive San Francisco 10:30 p. m. Southbound, [illegible] Los Angeles 10:30 p. m. will carry chair cars, [illegible] and diner. All classes of [illegible] will be honored—

San Luis Obispo passengers [illegible] leaving at 8:10 a.m. will be discontinued; passengers for San Luis Obispo and intermediate stations take the "COASTER."

"SUNSET EXPRESS" No. 10 will leave Los Angeles at 3:00 p.m. instead of 3:15 p.m. for [illegible] and intermediate stations.

The "LARK" will leave at 8:00 a.m. instead of 7:40 p.m., arrive San Francisco at 9:45 p.m., [illegible] arrive Los Angeles 9:40 a.m.

No. 55 will leave at 8:00 a.m. p. m. at present, but will run through Santa Barbara instead of to Norwalk.

Imperial Valley passenger will leave at Los Angeles at 4:00 p. m. instead of 5 p.m.

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$2.50 up—The Ideal Gift—Moore's Non-Leakable Pens. CUNNINGHAM, CURTIS & WELCH CO. 252 South Spring

Polish your furniture, pianos and floors with Wood Smith cannot be equaled; [illegible] PACIFIC COAST [illegible] 333 Title Insurance [illegible] Broadway 2718

Men's Famous [illegible] Sold here [illegible] Benjamin [illegible] JAMES SMITH & SON 940-950 Broadway

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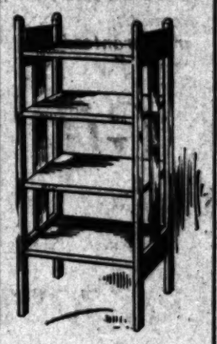
From 10 to 12

$1.85 Foot-stools $1.45

Foot stools just like the picture—upholstered in real Spanish leather — neatly and strongly made over hardwood frame—an astounding value at $1.45.

From 12 to 2

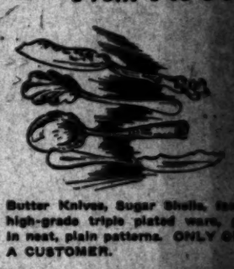


From 2 to 4 P. M.

Peerless "A" Coal and Wood Range: Regular $20 at . . $13.25

This 5-hole wood and coal stove—the celebrated Peerless "A"—fully guaranteed; smoothly finished castings; nickel trimmed; top, including shelf, 18x32 inches; nickel oven door shelf; grate for burning wood or coal; pouch feed. Regular $20 value; special, $13.25.

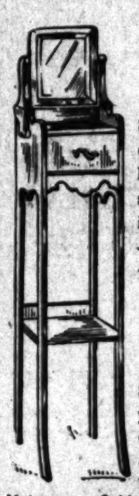
From 4 to 6 P. M.



Butter Knives, Sugar Shells, [illegible] high-grade triple plated ware, [illegible] in neat, plain patterns. ONLY ONE OF [illegible] A CUSTOMER.

This $46.00 Model $25

$6.00 Magazine Racks $3.65



Stoutly built of well seasoned white oak and stained in the popular nut brown fumed finish. Four large shelves, each 18x11 ins. Rack is 48 ins. high. Sells all over town at $6.00—for two hours, $3.65.

Shaving Cabinets for a Man's Gift

Solve that problem that's worrying you—some man's gift—by buying him one of these smart shaving cabinets. Any man will be delighted with it, or we're greatly mistaken.

Mahogany Cabinet—with adjustable mirror; drawer for razors, etc., like the picture; a reg. $16 stand..... $8.65

Mahogany Shaving Cabinet—A regular $10 value now.. $5.75

Maple Shaving Cabinet—Colonial pattern; adjustable mirror; 1 drawer; 2 cupboards; worth $17.50; BRENT'S price $9.25

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DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKET QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Five cars navels, one Valencias, one Arizona navels sold. Also three cars lemons. Navels and Valencias unchanged. Arizona navels doing better. Lemons easier. Raining.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Sunbeam	$1.50
Mariposa, O'Neill Ft. Co.	2.95
Marguerite, O'Neill Ft. Co.	1.45
Niagara, Stewart Ft. Co.	1.55
Lily	2.20
Washington	1.45
Golden Trout	1.40

VALENCIAS.

Naralimo, iced, Sperry Ft. Co.	$2.50
Circus, iced, Sparr Ft. Co.	2.10

ARIZONA NAVELS—HALVES.

Prima	$2.05
Phoenix	1.65

LEMONS.

Pet	$5.20
Greyhound	4.25
Quail	4.75
Bear	5.00
Coyote	4.30
Independent, fy.	3.95
Independent, ch.	3.70
Naralimo, iced	4.70

St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Cloudy, cold. Market firm on good fruit. Five cars navels, one car lemons sold.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Blue Label, C.G. Lindsay	$2.40
Glendora Heights, xc., A.C.G. Ex.	2.20
Premium, Benchley Ft. Co.	2.40
Liberty Girl	2.25
Golden Orchard, Ind. Ft. Co.	2.30
Glendora Heights, xf., A.C.G.	2.70
Evolution, A.C.G. Ex.	2.30
Superior, Benchley Ft. Co.	2.25
Solano, Stewart Ft. Co.	1.70
Freedom, Ind. Ft. Co.	1.85

LEMONS.

Camel, Q.C. Corona	$3.30
Questa, Q.C. Corona	4.60
Sunset, Q.C. Corona	2.20
Family, Q.C. Corona	2.65
Minerva, Q.C. Corona	2.40
O.I.C., Q.C. Corona	2.65

Correction—F. B. Devine of Riverside reports that the Sunbeam brand reported sold in New York yesterday was an error, as he has shipped no Sunbeam brand there this season.

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] One car lemons sold. Twenty-nine cars Floridas selling late today.

LEMONS.

	Avge.
El Cerrito, Q.C. Corona	$4.20
Blue Flag, Q.C. Corona	5.25
Silence, marked O. Q.C. Corona	4.45
El Cerrito, marked O	4.15
Blue Flag, marked O	5.30
Silence, Q.C. Corona	4.65

Pittsburgh Market.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Five cars navels and one car lemons sold. Cloudy. Market is strong on lemons, also good colored navels. Easy on poor colored stock.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Hollywreath, O'Neill Ft. Co.	$1.45
Red Label, C.C. Lindsay	1.80
Serenade, T.C.C. Sultana	2.35
Marguerite, O'Neill Ft. Co.	1.55

LEMONS.

Laurel, Q.C. Corona	$5.50
Lily, Q.C. Corona	4.50
Princess, Q.C. Corona	5.10

Boston Market.

BOSTON, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Five cars oranges, four cars lemons sold. Raining. Market is easier on oranges; lower on lemons.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Fair Oaks, Fair Oaks Ft. Co.	$2.00
Sphynx, C.C. Lindsay	1.35
State, T.C.C. Lindsay	2.15
Egnoro, C.C. Lindsay	1.50
Pocohontas, T.C.C. Zania	1.75
Hollywreath, O'Neill Ft. Co.	1.25

LEMONS.

Transcontinental, S.S. Or.	4.95
Silver Cord, V.C. Kevitt	4.30
Standard	3.45
Golden Bowl, V.C. Kevitt	5.05
Corona	4.40
Aster	3.25

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Raining. Market is advancing on lemons; market is weak on navels. One car navels, one car lemons and twelve cars Floridas sold. Florida oranges sold from $1.10 to $2.25.

LEMONS.

	Avge.
Greyhound, S.D. Ex.	$5.15
Duck, S.D. Ex.	3.85
Pup, S.D. Ex.	4.45

NAVELS.

Hiawatha, T.C.C. Lisco	$1.60

Cleveland Market.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Three cars navels sold. Market is higher. Cold, cloudy.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Naranjo, T.C.C. Naranjo	$2.50
Gold Buckle, R.E. High	2.85
Sunbeam	2.60
Naranjo Prize, T.C.C. Ex.	2.30
Lochinvar, R.H. E. High	2.65

LEMONS.

Gold Buckle, R.H. E. High	$4.75
Lochinvar, R.H. E. High	3.10

104, fifty shares changing hands. During the morning's trading the stock sold down to 103, although the volume of business was not large. It opened half a point lower in the afternoon, and declined to 102, with one sale of two shares at 101 toward the close. Final quotations were 101.62½ bid at 102.50. Union oil showed no particular change and closed $90.50 bid at $91. National Pacific held at 2¼, one block of 10,000 shares changing hands in the afternoon. It closed 2 1-8 bid at 2¼. Palmer oil sold at 20.

There was a five point better bid for Security Trust and Savings Bank stock, and a two and a half point better bid for Central National Bank stock. No sales were reported.

SAN FRANCISCO EXCHANGE.

Belmont Declines Ten—Output of Tonopah Mines Shows Increase. Strike Reported in Manhattan.

[Special service to The Times by E. F. Taylor, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—Goldfield Consolidated was a strong feature. It opened 2[illegible] bid. Merger was down 2 points. Atlanta lost one and Florence one. The Manhattans held strong. Big Four up four points. In the Tonopah camp Belmont was off 10, Merger 2, Midway 2, Tonopah Extension 10 and West End 2½. Montana made a 7½-point gain and McNamara two. In the outlying camps Peak was up 5. In the Comstocks Consolidated Virginia was down 2, Sierra 3 and Union 2. The Manhattan advices say that a new ledge carrying milling values was struck last week on the 300-foot level, 250 feet northwest of the shaft. Ore is four feet wide and runs $15 per ton. The output of the Tonopah mines last week was valued at $212,000, an increase of $11,000 over the week previous. The output in tons which amounted to 11,297, is a record breaker for the camp in any week of its existence.

Following are the closing bid and asked prices:

Goldfield District—	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Atlanta	.19	.20	Mex.	2.60	2.62½
Booth	.04	.05	Ophir	.26	.27
B. Bull.	.05	.06	Savage	.07	.08
C. O. D.	.08	.06	Sierra N.	.28	.30
Com. Fr.	.09	.11	Union	.19	.20
Daisy	—	.04	Tonopah District—		
Dia B.B.	—	.04			
Florence	.61	.63	Belmont	7.60	—
Gold. C.	2.15	2.20	Boston	.02	.03
Jumbo Ex.	2.60	—	Cash Boy	.06	.07
Lone Star	.04	.05	Gipsy Q.	.04	.05
Merger	.29	.31	J. Butler	.40	.42
Spearh'd	.06	—	Merger	.78	.80
Sil. Pick	.06	—	Mirway	.31	.32
Vernal	—	.30	M. P. Ex.	.29	.30
Y. Tiger	.03	.05	Mont.	1.70	1.72½
Manhattan District—			Mix. Ex.	.05	—
			McNam.	.17	.18
Big 4	.35	—	N. Star	.19	.20
Dexter U.	—	.03	R. Eula	.12	.13
G. Wedge	.08	.09	T. of N.	6.25	—
M. Con.	.09	.10	Tono. Ex.	2.30	—
M. Dexter	.02	.03	W. End	1.22½	—
Min. Hills Con.	—	.01	Bullfrog District—		
M. Glory	—	.04	Mayflower Con.	.01	.03
Mustang	.02	.03			
White Cap	.07	.08	Other Districts—		
Comstock District—			Pitts. S.P.	.75	—
Con. Va.	.36	.37	N. Hills	1.35	—
Confid'e	—	.35	Rnd. Mtn.	—	.34
H. & N.	.10	.11			

SAN FRANCISCO CLOSING STOCK AND BOND QUOTATIONS.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury building, Los Angeles.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive to The Times.] The closing quotations and sales on the Stock and Bond Exchange were as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
Miscellaneous Bonds—		
Associated Oil Co. 5s	90½	100
Bay Counties Power Co. 5s	100¾	101½
Cal. Central Gas & Elec. 5s	102½	.....
L. A. Gas & Elec. Co. 5s	99½	100½
Natomas Consol. of Cal. 6s	94¾	.....
Northern Cal. Power Con. 5s	98	99½
Oakland Gas, Light & H. 5s	100	101
Oakland Transit Co. 5s	102½	.....
Oakland Traction Co. 5s	91½	92½
Pacific Light & P. Gtd. 5s	.....	97
People's Water Co. 5s	81½	82
S. F., O. & S. J. Ry. 5s	102½	.....
S. F., O. & S. J. 2nd Mtg. 5s	94	.....
S. F., O. & S. J. Con. Ry. 5s	.....	93½
Sierra Ry. of Cal. 6s	.....	102½
S. P. R. R. Co. 1st Rfg. 4s	92½	93½
S. V. Water Co. G. M. 4s	92½	.....
U. R. R. of S. F. 4s	67½	.....
Valley Counties Power Co. 5s	100½	.....
Water Stocks—		
People's Water Co. pfd.	50	.....
Spring Valley Water Co.	63¾	64
Gas and Electric Stocks—		
N. Cal. Power Co. Con.	18½	.....
Pacific Lighting Corp. com.	105	.....
Insurance Stocks—		
Fireman's Fund	240	245
Street Railroad Stocks—		
*California	.....	.....
Presidio	124½	.....
Powder Stocks—		
Giant Consolidated Co.	100	.....
Sugar Stocks—		
Hawaiian Com'l & Sugar	22	.....
Paauhau S. P. Co.	17½	.....
Union Sugar Co.	.....	32
Oil Stocks—		
Amalgamated Oil Co.	79½	.....
Associated Oil Co.	43¾	.....
Miscellaneous Stocks—		
Alaska Packers' Ass'n	80¼	.....
Pacific Tel. & Tel. common	25	27

*Ex-dividend.

SALES: 2 Bay Counties Power 5s at 100¾; 26 Natomas Con. 6s at 94¼; 4 California Gas & Electric Chief 5s at 95½; 5 Spring Valley Water 4s at 92½; 2 Key Route 2nd 5s at 94¼; 4 Great Western Power 5s at 87; 7 U. W. 4s at 67½; 1 Valley Counties Power 5s at 101; 4 Cal. Central Gas & Electric 5s at 102½; 2 Los Angeles Gas & Electric Co. 5s at 100; 4 Key Route 1st 5s at 102½; 15 Mutual Savings Bank at 75; 40 Amalgamated Oil at 80; 100 Northern Cal. Power at 20; 3 Oakland Transit 5s at 103; 400 Hawaiian Commercial at 22; 50 Associated Oil at 43½.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

FRUIT, GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—Fruits—Fancy apples, 60; common, 40.

Berries—Strawberries, nominal; cranberries, 12.50@13.50.

Grapes—Ordinary, 50@1.00.

Persimmons—75@1.50.

Oranges—Navels, 1.25@2.50.

Mexican limes—4.00@4.50.

Lemons—Common California, 1.50; fancy, 3.50.

Flour—Family extras, 5.40@5.80; bakers' extras, 4.85@5.40; Oregon and Washington, 4.50@4.75.

Wheat—Shipping, 1.47½@1.50.

Barley—Feed, 1.37½.

Oats—White, 1.55@1.57½; black, 1.80@2.20.

Millstuffs—Middlings, 32.50@33.00; rolled barley, 29.00@30.00; oat groats, 4.00; rolled oats, 41.00@42.00.

Hay—Wheat, 22.00@24.00; wheat and oat, 21.00@22.50; oat, wild, 16.00@18.50; oat, tame, 17.00@22.00; barley, 17.00@19.00; alfalfa, 12.50@15.00; straw, 40@70.

Receipts—Flour, 345; wheat, 1440; barley, 2380; oat, 820; beans, 524; corn, 50; potatoes, 3041; onions, 236; bran, 500; middlings, 100; hay, 110; hops, 21; hides, 58; wine, 32,400.

Beans—Pink, 3.60@3.75; lima, 5.45@5.55; small white, 4.45@4.55; large white, 4.10@4.20.

Potatoes—Oregon Burbanks, nominal; Salinas Burbanks, 1.15@1.30; Merced Sweets, 1.75@1.85.

Onions—Fancy, 50; common, 35.

Various—Green peas, 4@9; string beans, 5@10; egg plant, 4@9; green peppers, 6@7; tomatoes, 40@85; summer squash, 1.00@1.25; garlic, 2@3; cucumbers, 1.00@1.25.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 33½; seconds, 32.

Cheese—New 14@14½; Young America, 17@18.

Eggs—Ranch, 33; store, 30.

Poultry—Live turkeys, 18@20; dressed turkeys, 20@22; roosters, old, 4.00@4.50; roosters, young, 6.00@7.00; broilers, small, 3.00@4.00; broilers, large, 4.00@4.50; broilers, fryers, 5.00@5.50; hens, 4.00@10.00; ducks, old, 4.50@5.50; ducks, young, 6.00@8.00; geese, 2.00@2.50; pigeons, young, 1.25@1.50.

Call Board Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Wheat, steady; December, 1.50 asked; cash, 1.47½@1.50. Barley, steady; December, 1.42; May, 1.31; cash, 1.37½. Corn, steady; Western States yellow not quoted. Afternoon session: Wheat, steady; December, 1.48¾ asked. Barley, steady; December, 1.43; May, 1.31.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Silver bars, 63¼; Mexican dollars, nominal; drafts, sight, 2½; do., telegraph, 5.

OIL STOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO CLOSING PRICE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—[Exclusive to The Times.] Closing bid and asked prices:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Asso. Oil	.42½	—	Monte C.	—	.75
Brookshe	.40	—	Palmer	.19	.20
Caribou	1.65	—	Silver Tip	.40	—
Claremt	.55	—	Turner	.80	—

[illegible]—100 Monte Cristo at 80; 200 Maricopa [illegible] Palmer at 20.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

BUTTER — Creamery extras, 35 per lb.; creamery firsts, 32½.

CHEESE—Northern fresh, 18½@19; storage, 18; eastern daisies, 21; eastern twin, 19½; long horn, 22; singles, 19½; cheddars, 23½; Tillamook daisies, 19½; imported Swiss, 33; Dom. Swiss block, 23; wheel, 28; Limburger, 22@23; cream brick, 22@23; Edam, 8.00@8.50; Sierra, 1.00@1.10 per box; Neufchatel, 1.00 per box; Camembert, 1.10 per box; Canada cream, 90@1.00 per box; Roquefort, 45; German breakfast, 90@1.00.

BEANS — Pink, No. 1, 4.00@4.50; Lady Washington, No. 1, 5.00; small white, No. 1, 4.87½@5.25; Limas, No. 1, 5.75@6.25; black eyes, 4.00; lentils, 6.50@7.00; Garvanzas, 4.50; Mexican reds, 4.50; bayous, 4.00@5.00.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, 7½@10; citrus, fancy, 10; orange and lemon peel, 14@16; currants, imp. fancy bulk, recleaned, 9¼@10; fancy, 1-lb., 9½@12; dates, packages, imported Fards, fancy, 9@[illegible] [illegible]

RAISINS — Sultanas, bleached, 4; unbleached, [illegible] [illegible]

NUTS—New almonds, fancy, IXL, 17@19; Brazil, 12@16; filberts, large, new crop 14@15; pecans, large, 17@18; pine nuts, 18; peanuts, California, raw 5@5½; eastern, 7@7½; Japan, 6@6½; rice corn, 6.50; cocoanuts, 90 per dozen; walnuts, No. 1 Assn., 19@18; budded walnuts, 17@20; unbleached walnuts, 16@17½; chestnuts, 10@12.

HONEY—Comb, fancy water white, 17@20; white, 15; light amber, 14; extracted, light amber, 8; water white, 10; white, 9; beeswax, 30 per lb.

CITRUS FRUITS—Navel oranges, 1.85@4.50; Valencias, 1.00@2.50; lemons, 3.75@5.00; unpacked stock, 2.00@2.50; grapefruit, 2.75@3.50; limes, 75@1.00 per 100.

FRESH FRUIT—Bellefleurs, 60@1.15; McIntosh Reds, 1.50@1.70; Skinner seedlings, 1.00@1.25; Grimes Golden, 1.65; Greenings, 1.25; Gano, 1.00@1.50; Ben Davis, 90@1.10; White Winter Pearmains, 75@1.25; Red Pearmains, [illegible]; Y. N. Pippins, 1.00@[illegible]; Spitzenbergs, 1.50@1.75; Rome Beauties, 1.25@1.65; Jonathans, 1.25@1.75; Baldwins, 90@1.10; Warners, 90@1.10; Langford seedlings, 1.00@1.25; bananas, 4@4½ lb.; pineapples, 7@9; figs, boxes, [illegible]; grapes, crates, Malagas, 1.50@1.75; Cornichons, 1.50@1.35; Emperors, 1.25@1.75; plums, Italian prunes, 1.00@1.50; Hungarian, 90@1.15; Kelsey, 90@1.10; Bartlett pears, 4@7 lb.; casabas, 1.75@2.00 crate; winter melon, 1.75@2.25; cranberries, Late Howe, 12.00 a barrel; in cartons, 3.25 case; guavas, 6@8 lb.; pomegranates, 3½@5 per lb.; persimmons, 6@9 lb.; avocados, 2.00@3.00 per doz.

ONIONS AND CHILI—Strings, 11@12½; loose, 9½@12; Mexican black, 21; chiltepines, 25 lb.; ground chili, 10; Japanese, 16; green chili, 15; chicken chile, 6½; corn husks, 9@10; do., cut, 4. Onions, red northern, 1.00 box; northern Yellow Danvers, 85@1.00; Australian Brown, northern, 85@1.00; Lompoc, 1.00@1.15; white Globe, 2.25@2.75 a sack; Silverskins, 1.50 cwt.; garlic, 5@7.

BERRIES—Strawberries, 9@11 per basket.

POTATOES—Highlands, 85@1.00; Oregon potatoes, 1.10@1.15; sweet potatoes, 1½@1¾ per lb.; Salinas potatoes, 1.40@1.60; Lompoc potatoes, 1.40@1.60.

GREEN VEGETABLES—Beets, 75@1.25 sack; carrots, 60@90 a sack; parsley, 25@30 per dozen; turnips, 75@1.25 a sack; peas, 4½@7½; spinach, 12@20; cabbage, [illegible]; green onions, 15@20 per doz.; leeks, 40 per doz.; lettuce, com., 60@1.25 per crate; parsnips, 1½ per lb.; celery, 1.50@2.25 a crate; hothouse mushrooms, 60@1.00 per pound; artichokes, 1.25@1.50 per doz.; bell peppers, 4@6; green chile, 4@6; rhubarb, winter crimson, [illegible]; strawberry rhubarb, 85@1.25; cucumbers, 1.00@1.75 box; hothouse cucumbers, 1.00@2.50 a doz.; horseradish, 12@15; tomatoes, box, 75@1.00; wax beans, 8@12; green beans, 8@12; Lima beans, 8@12 lb.; summer squash, 50@75; Hubbard squash, 1@1½ per lb.; green corn, 50@75 box; cauliflower, 85@1.00 doz.; pickles, 1.00@1.25; eggplant, 5@6 lb.; Brussels sprouts, 9@10.

POULTRY—Dealer buys from producer: Broilers, 24@26; fryers, 17; roasters, 17; young cocks, 9@10; old cocks, 8; hens, 16@17; young turkeys, 18@22; old turkeys, 20@22; ducks, 13@16; geese, 12; squab, pigeons, dozen, 2.00; fresh dressed turks, 25@27; ducks, 16@22; geese, 15; squabs, 1.75 per doz. Frozen, dealers wholesale prices: Fowls, 19@21; roosters, 25; fryers, 24; broilers, 30@32; ducks, 22; geese, 20; turkeys, 26@29.

GRAIN AND FEED—PER 100 LBS: Alfalfa meal, 1.35; bone, granulated, 2.05; bone meal, 2.05; blood meal, 2.30; XXXX beef scraps, 3.10; barley, rolled, 1.70; seed barley, 1.50; charcoal, 2.30; XXXX chick feed, 2.10 do. bale of 20 5-lb. bags, 2.00; corn, eastern white, 2.25; corn, small yellow, 2.10; whole large yellow corn, 1.75; Kafir corn, 2.00; Egyptian corn, 1.95; Yellow Dent, 2.00; whole white corn, 100 lbs., 1.75; corn, cracked, 1.80; seed corn, 1.95; XXXX Dry Mash (a superior egg food,) per 20-lb. sacks, 2.00; grit, granite, 80; millet, 2.75; oilcake meal, 2.55; red feed oats, 2.00; white feed oats, 1.75; rolled oats, 1.80; feed meal, 1.85; cheap oats, 1.90; California clam shell, 50; do. white clam, 60; do hard eastern oyster, 1.15; Scratch Feed, 1.95@2.10; bran, 1.55; shorts, 1.80; No. 1 wheat, 100-lb. sacks, 1.95; wheat, cracked, 100-lb. sacks, 1.90; middlings, 1.85; Milo maize, 1.60; linseed oil cake meal, ton, 42.00@42.50; cocoanut cake or meal, ton, 27.00@28.00.

FLOUR—Per bbl., Capitol, made of No. 1 hard and California wheat, blended, 5.80; Aurora, 5.00; Trophy, 4.60; No. 1 hard bakers' made of hard wheat only, 6.00; Capitol Bakers' Extra Hard and Cal. wheat blended, 5.50; Our Giant (bakers',) 5.20; Eclipse, 4.60; L. A. 4z standard blended, 5.80; L. A. 4z pastry, 5.80; L. A. 4z pastry, bakers', 4.80; extras, 5.50; Purity blended, 5.00; Our Giant (bakers',) 5.20; Eclipse, 4.80; (flour in ¼ sacks, 20c per bbl. higher;) Globe, 6.20; Al, 5.60; Silver star, 5.00; XXX, 4.60; Sperry, 5.00; Drifted Snow, 6.00; Port Costa, 6.00; Golden Monarch, 5.20; La Pina, 5.20; Blue Bird, 4.60; Semolino, 4.60; Golden Rod, 6.40; Sperry's Ex. 6.50; Big Loaf, 5.80; Angelus, bakers', 5.00; Bell Brand, 4.90; bakers' pastry, 4.60.

MEALS—Per 20 lbs.	5-lb. S'ks.	10-lb. S'ks.	25-lb. S'ks.	50-lb. S'ks.
Graham flour	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Buckwheat flour	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Rye flour or meal	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cornmeal, W. & Y.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Oatmeal, Steel Cut	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Oatmeal, ground	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hominy, large or small	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cracked wheat	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Split peas, yellow	3.75	4.50	4.45	4.40
Split peas, green	3.90	3.30	3.25	3.20
Farina	4.30	3.30	3.25	3.20
Nutri Germ	4.90	4.60	4.50	4.40

SUGAR—Prices quoted below are for Los Angeles city. Pomona city list is 7½c higher. Pomona country list is 5c higher. Colton City list is 20c higher. Colton country list is 17½c higher. Prices are based on sacks. Bbls. add 10c; ½ bbls., 25c and boxes 50c per 100 lbs. All prices are net cash, less 25 cents cwt., 15 days. Beet gran., 5.55; standard cane, 5.75; standard berry, 5.75; Cube (sacks,) 6.00; Cube, (25-lb. boxes,) 6.50; Candy, gran., 5.85; Powdered, 5.85; Con. A, 5.75; extra C, 5.25; Golden C, 5.15; D, 5.05; Dominoes, 5s 9.05; Dominoes, 2s, 10.45; Superior, 7z powdered, bbls, 6.50; Superior, 7z, powdered, ½ bbls., 6.65; Superior, 7z, powdered, 20-lb. boxes, 7.00; Superior, 7z, bar, bbls., 6.90; Superior, 7z bar, ½ bbls., 7.05; Superior, 7z bar, 25-lb. tins, 8.60; Superior, 7z bar, 20-lb. boxes, 7.40.

HAY—(Baled.) Following are jobbing prices for hay. Producers receive 1.00 to 2.00 less than these prices:

Tame oat hay	22.00	26.00
Barley hay	20.00	22.00
Wheat hay	20.00	22.00
Alfalfa hay	16.50	18.50

LIVE STOCK—Based on delivered weights in Los Angeles (furnished by Hauser Packing Co.:) Steers, 6¾@6¾; heifers, 6@6½; cows, 5½@6¼; calves, 6; small calves, 7; milk calves, 7; wethers, 2.50@3.00 a head; ewes, 2.00; lambs, 3.00@3.50; hogs, 175-225, 7½@7¾ a lb.; [illegible]

BEEF—Steers, No. 1, 11; steers, No. 2, 10½; heifers, No. 1, 10½; heifers, No. 2, 9; hind quarters, No. 1, steer, 12½; hind quarters, No. 1, heifer, 11; fore quarter, beef, 10; full chucks, 9½; short chucks, 9½; triangle, 9; plates, 6; rounds, 11@11½; loins, No. 1, 18; No. 2 loins, 17; No. 1 ribs, 14; No. 2 ribs, 13; loin butt, 14; shanks, 3½; fillets, 30; tongues, 20; ox tails, 5 each.

MUTTON—Yearlings, 10; wethers, 9½; ewes, 9; plates, 5; plain lamb, 12 up, 13½; do., under 40, 11½; legs lambs, 14½; hind quarter lamb, 15; fore quarters lamb, 9; hind quarter mutton, 11; fore quarter mutton, 9½; racks, mutton, 12½; legs mutton, 13; loins mutton, 12½; shoulders mutton, 8½; tongues, 3; liver, 3; hearts, dozen, 25; plucks, 3; plucks, heart on, 5.

SAUSAGE, ETC.—Bologna, 9½; blood sausage, 9½; liverwurst, 9½; pork sausage, 17; Spanish, 11; garlic, 10; ham sausage, 12½ @13; minced ham, 12½; tongue loaf, 20; chile con carne, 10; sour head cheese, 10; beef sweetbreads, 5-lb. pails, 26; calves sweetbreads, 5-lb. pails, 75; pork tenders, 10-lb. pails, 26; pork loins, fancy, 10-12 avg., 7½; dressed hogs, 14; ham, 15½ lb.; bacon, 23½ lb.; lard, 15¼ lb.

PORK—Hogs, head on, 13; hogs, head off, 14; hogs, trimmed, 15½; pork loins, 16@17; pork legs, 15; New York shoulder, 12¾; picnics, 11½; butts, 14½; bellies, 15; trimmings, 10; spare ribs, 12½; back fat, 11; heads, 7; feet, each, 4; hearts, per lb., 6.

PICKLED MEATS—Pigs feet, kits, 1.35; pigs feet, quarters, 2.85; do., halves, 5.50; do., barrels, 14.00; honeycomb tripe, kits, 1.35; do., quarters, 2.75; do., halves, 5.00; star pig pork quarters, 7.75; do., halves, 14.75; do., barrels, 28.00; lambs' tongues, kits, 2.50.

HAMS—Per lb., Diamond C hams, 12-16, 21½; do., skinned hams, 22¾; Rex hams, 12-16, 20¾; Rex skinned hams, 21¾; Pioneer hams, 10-16, 20½; smoked picnic hams, 15½; boiled hams, boneless, 29¾; Angelus hams, 17½; Angelus skinned hams, 19¼; boiled hams, 24; Hauser's Pride, 17½; Hauser's Pride, boiled, 26; Empire hams, 10-12, 21¾; Empire hams, 12-16, 21½; Empire picnics, 16¼; Premium skinned hams, 23¾; Premium hams, 10-12, 22½; Premium hams, 12-16, 22¾; Atlas hams, 20½; Premium boiled hams, 30; Armour's Star hams, 10-12, 21½; 12-14, 21¼; 14-16, 21¾; do., skinned, 14-16, 22¼; boiled hams, 29½; Armour's Shield hams, 10-12, 20¾; 12-14, 20¾; 14-16, 20¾; Shield skinned, 14-16, 21¾; picnics, 4-8, 20¼; Armour's Colonial hams, 10-12, 19¾; 12-16, 19¾.

BACON—Winchester, 6-8, 25¾; 8-10, 24¾; 10-12, 23¾; Empire, 25¾; Hauser's Pride, 6-8, 24; 6-8, 21; Premium, 20¾; Atlas, 10-12, 22; Sunlight, 6-8, 28¾; Rex, 6-8, 25¼; 8-10, 24¼; 10-12, 23¾; Colonial, 8-10, 22¾; 10-12, 21¾; Shield, 6-8, 24¼; 8-10, 23¼; 10-12, 22¾; bacon strips, 20¾; boneless butts, 21½@19¾.

LARD—Tierces basis: Diamond C, 16; Rex pure, 15; Rex Star, 14; Angelus, 12¾; Silver Leaf, 15¼; Premium lard, 16¼; Armour's Helmet, 14¼; Shield, 13¼; White Label, 16¼; Simon Pure, 16.05 a case.

LARD SUBSTITUTES—Tierces basis Suetene, 12¼; Diamond C Shortening, 14¾; Violet lard compound, 9¼; Jewel brand, compound, 10¾; Cottosuet, yellow, 11¼; Cottosuet, white, 12¼; Armour's Vegetole, 10¼; Pennant compound, 8¼; Colonial, 10. (The above quotations are for tierces; add ⅛ cent for tubs or single cans; ¾ cent for large pails, ⅞ cent for medium pails, and 1 cent for small pails.) Cottolene, 60-lb. case, 20-small, 15; medium or 6 large, 7.95; 5-case lots, 7.85; 10-case lots, 7.75.

SMOKED MEATS—Smoked beef tongues, 90; dried beef insides, 23@24; outsides, 17@17½; dried beef knuckles, 22@24; boiled beef tongues, 48; boiled and smoked beef tongues, 48; Melrose strips, 20¼; fancy butts, 21¼; Jefferson hams, 25.

DRY SALTED MEATS—Eastern; dry salt bellies, 10-14 av., 16; 14-20 av., 15¾; fat backs, 14-20, 15¾; loin backs, 16; Ex. short clear, square cut, 16; short clear sides, 40-48 av., 16½.

OIL LIST.

W. W. Oil, iron bbls., drums and tank wagon	.08½
Pearl oil, cases, 5s	.13½
Astral oil, cases, 2-5s	.15½
Elaine oil, cases, 2-5s	.18½
Eocene oil, cases, 2-5s	.16½
V. M. & P. naphtha, iron bbls., drums	.20½
V. M. & P. naphtha, cases, 2-5s	.27½
Red Crown gasoline, cases, 2-5s	.24½
Motor gasoline, bulk	.17½
G. M. gasoline, in bbls.	.24½
G. M. gasoline, in cases	.42
Engine distillate, iron bbls., drums and tank wagons	.09
Engine distillate, cases, 2-5s	.16½
Turpentine, in cases	.59
Turpentine, 10-case lots	.58
Turpentine, iron bbls., (50-gal.)	.51
Turpentine, iron bbls., (100 gal.)	.51
Linseed oil, boiled, in barrels	.51
Linseed oil, raw, in bbls.	.50
Aroturpa, cases, 2-5s	.31
Aroturpa, in iron bbls., 50-gal.	.25
Aroturpa, in iron bbls., 100-gal.	.23
Aroturpa, 10-case lots	.23

LOS ANGELES STOCK EXCHANGE.

Union Provident Exhibits Weakness—Little Activity Displayed in Other Issues During Day.

Union Provident, which was the [illegible] yesterday, opened [illegible]

FINANCIAL.

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General Eastern.

WHEAT AND CORN FINISH STRONG.

LIVERPOOL MARKET ADVANCE FELT IN CHICAGO.

Provisions Are Irregular With Liquidation Marking the Transactions While Pork Is Five Cents Lower and Oats Transactions Are Steady.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—Wheat and corn finished strong today, oats steady and provisions irregular. The wheat market opened ¼ to ⅜c higher in sympathy with an advance at Liverpool. May wheat sold between 90¾ and 91¼, closing ⅛c over yesterday at 91⅛c. May corn closed at 48⅝@49c. May oats closed at 33⅝c. Liquidation marked the provisions market which closed with pork 5 cents lower and lard and ribs 2½.

Cash quotations were as follows: Rye, No. 2, 63@63¼. Barley, feed or mixing, 46@50; fair to choice malting, 58@65; timothy seed, 3.25@3.65; clover seed, 18.25@15.85; mess pork, 17.00@17.25; lard (in tierces,) 9.57½@9.65; short rib (loose,) 9.12½@9.75.

Grain Statistics.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Total clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 871,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 1,389,000 bushels, compared with 846,000 bushels the corresponding day a year ago. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 32 cars; corn, 347 cars; oats, 161 cars; hogs, 22,000 head.

Chicago Grain Market.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—Opening, high, low and closing grain and provisions:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
December	.85¼	.86	.85¼	**.86
May	.90⅝	.91¼	.90⅝	**.91⅛
July	.87⅞	.87⅞	.87	**.87⅞
Corn—				
December	.47⅝	.48½	.47⅝	*.48⅜
May	.48⅞	.48⅞	.48⅜	**.48⅞
July	.49	.49⅝	.49¼	.49⅝
Oats—				
December	.32¼	.33	.32¾	.32⅞
May	.33	.33⅝	.33⅜	**.33⅝
July	.33⅜	.33⅞	.33⅜	*.33⅞
Pork—				
January	17.92	17.92	17.60	17.75
May	18.00	18.05	17.85	18.00
Lard—				
January	9.30	9.30	9.75	*9.62
May	9.85	9.85	7.75	**9.85
Ribs—				
January	9.70	9.72	9.62	9.62
May	9.62	9.65	9.60	9.65

*Bid. **Asked.

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Copper, dull; standard, spot and December, 16.75 bid; January and February, 16.75@17.00. Electrolytic, 17.62@17.87; lake, 17.62@17.87; castings, 17.25@17.37. Tin quiet; spot, 49.87@50.25; December, 49.85@50.25; January, 49.75@50.12. Lead, quiet, 4.25@4.35. Spelter, quiet, 7.20@7.40. Antimony, quiet; Cookson's, 10.50. Iron barely steady and unchanged. Copper arrivals, 365 tons. Exports this month, 35,654 tons. London copper dull, spot, £74 7s 6d; futures, £75 10s. London tin, firm; spot, £227 10s 6d; futures, £227 10s. London lead, £18 2s 6d. London spelter, £26 10s. Iron, Cleveland warrants, 66s 3d in London.

Chicago Live Stock Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Cattle, receipts, 18,000; market, steady to 10 lower; beeves, 5.45@9.75; Texas steers, 4.40@5.65; western steers, 5.25@7.80; stockers and feeders, 4.20@7.25; cows and heifers, 2.70@7.30; calves, 6.50@10.00. Hogs, receipts, 30,000; market, slow, steady; light, 6.80@7.15; mixed, 6.90@7.25; heavy, 6.85@7.25; rough, 6.85@7.25; pigs, 5.00@6.60; bulk of sales, 7.10@7.20. Sheep, receipts, 25,000; market, slow, steady; native, 3.90@5.00; western, 4.00@5.00; yearlings, 5.40@6.65; lambs, native, 5.75@8.00; western, 6.00@7.90.

Chicago Closing Figures.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Close: Wheat—December, 86; May, 91⅛; July, 87⅞. Corn—December, 48⅜; May, 48⅞@49; July, 49⅝. Oats—December, 32⅞@33; May, 33⅝; July, 33⅞. Pork—January, 17.75; May, 18.00. Lard—January, 9.62½; May, 9.85. Ribs—January, 9.62½; May, 9.65. Corn, No. 2, 43⅝@44; No. 3, 43⅝@46¼; No. 3, white, 46¼@46½; No. 3, yellow, 45⅜@46⅛; No. 4, 43¼@45; No. 4, white, 44@45½; No. 4, yellow, 44@45½. Timothy, 3.00@3.90. Clover seed, 10.00@13.00. Barley, 46@75. Rye, No. 2, 63@63¼.

New York Coffee Market.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury building, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Close:

December	13.45@13.47	July	14.14@14.16
January	13.50@13.51	August	14.20@14.21
March	13.80@13.82	September	14.26@14.27
May	14.03@14.04	October	14.26@14.27

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Butter, dull and weak; creamery held extras, 32@33; factory, current make, firsts, 23½@24. Cheese, dull and unchanged. Eggs, steady; fresh gathered, firsts, 29@32; refrigerator, special mark, fancy, local storage charges paid, 18¾@19½.

New York General Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Wheat, spot, firm; December, closed 94¼; May, 97⅝. Hops, quiet. Hides, easy. Petroleum, steady. Wool, quiet. Sugar, raw, steady, Muscovado, 89 test, 2.42; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.92; molasses, 89 test, 2.17; refined steady.

Chicago Dairy Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Butter, easy, unchanged; creameries, 26@32. Eggs, unchanged; receipts, 4396; fresh current receipts, 19@22; refrigerator firsts, 17; firsts, 24. Cheese, firm; daisies, 16¾@17; twins, 16¼@17½; Young Americas, 16¾@17; long horns, 16¾@17.

San Francisco Dairy Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Butter, fancy creamery, 33½; seconds, 32. Eggs, store, 30; fancy ranch, 33. Cheese, new, 14@14½; Young Americas, 16@17.

St. Louis Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Wool, steady; medium grades combing and clothing, 23½@28; light fine, 19@21; heavy fine, 13@18; tub washed, 27@36.

Liverpool Wheat Market.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 18.—[By Cable and A. P.] Liverpool, close: Wheat, steady; futures, firm; December, 7s 4⅛d; March, 7s 4d; May, 7s 3⅝d.

Portland Wheat Market.

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 18. — [By A. P. Night Wire.] Wheat, track prices: Club, 78; blue stem, 81@82; forty-fold, 79; red Russian, 76; valley, 80.

California Dried Fruits

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Evaporated apples quiet and steady. Prunes, firm. Apricots, peaches and raisins, quiet.

Salt Lake Stock Exchange.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

SALT LAKE, Dec. 18.—Close:

	Bid.	Ask.			
Beck. T.	10	10½	Prince Con.	157½	160
Black Jack	12½	14	Silver King Coalition	275	315
Colo.	18	20	Sioux Con.	3½	6½
Columbus	13½	20	Tintic C.	½	1¼
Daly J.	570	615	Uncle Sam.	10	13
Gr. Cent.	75	80	Utah Con.	1½	2
Iron B.	125	127½	Victoria C.	3	5
Little Bell	—	35	Yankee C.	12	13
Low. M.	4½	6	B. C. S.	9½	12
May Day	23	26	Col. Ext.	5	8
Ohio Cop.	107½	110	S. King. C.	75	76

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DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKET QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Five cars navels, one Valencias, one Arizona navels sold. Also three cars lemons. Navels and Valencias unchanged, Arizona navels doing better. Lemons easier. Raining.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Sunbeam	$1.50
Mariposa, O'Neill Ft. Co.	2.05
Marguerita, O'Neill Ft. Co.	1.45
Niagara, Stewart Ft. Co.	1.55
Lily	2.20
Washington	1.45
Golden Trout	1.60

VALENCIAS.

Naralimo, iced Sparr Ft. Co.	$2.50
Circus, iced, Sparr Ft. Co.	2.10

ARIZONA NAVELS—HALVES.

Prima	$2.00
Phoenix	1.65

LEMONS.

Pet	$5.20
Greyhound	4.25
Quail	4.75
Bear	5.00
Coyote	4.30
Independent fy.	3.95
Independent, ch.	3.70
Naralimo, iced	4.70

St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Cloudy, cold. Market firm on good fruit. Five cars navels, one car lemons sold.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Blue Label, C.C. Lindsay	$2.40
Glendora Heights, xc., A.C.G. Ex.	2.20
Premium, Benchley Ft. Co.	2.40
Liberty Girl	2.35
Golden Orchard, Ind. Ft. Co.	2.30
Glendora Heights, xf., A.C.G.	2.70
Evolution, A.C.G. Ex.	2.30
Superior, Benchley Ft. Co.	2.25
Solano, Stewart Ft. Co.	1.70
Freedom, Ind. Ft. Co.	1.85

LEMONS.

Camel, Q.C. Corona	$3.30
Questa, Q.C. Corona	4.60
Sunset, Q.C. Corona	2.20
Family, Q.C. Corona	2.65
Minerva, Q.C. Corona	3.40
O.I.C., Q.C. Corona	3.65

Correction—F. B. Devine of Riverside reports that the Sunbeam brand reported sold in New York yesterday was an error, as he has shipped no Sunbeam brand there this season.

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] One car lemons sold. Twenty-nine cars Floridas selling late today.

LEMONS.

	Avge.
El Cerrito, Q.C. Corona	$4.30
Blue Flag, Q.C. Corona	5.25
Silence, marked O, Q.C. Corona	4.45
El Cerrito, marked O	4.15
Blue Flag, marked O	5.30
Silence, Q.C. Corona	4.65

Pittsburgh Market.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Five cars navels and one car lemons sold. Cloudy. Market is strong on lemons, also good colored navels. Easy on poor colored stock.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Hollywreath, O'Neill Ft. Co.	$1.45
Red Label, C.C. Lindsay	1.80
Serenade, T.C.C. Sultana	2.35
Marguerite, O'Neill Ft. Co.	1.55

LEMONS.

Laurel, Q.C. Corona	$5.50
Lily, Q.C. Corona	4.50
Princess, Q.C. Corona	5.10

Boston Market.

BOSTON, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Five cars oranges, four cars lemons sold. Raining. Market is easier on oranges; lower on lemons.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Fair Oaks, Fair Oaks Ft. Co.	$2.00
Sphynx, C.C. Lindsay	1.35
State, T.C.C. Lindsay	2.15
Egnore, C.C. Lindsay	1.80
Pocahontas, T.C.C. Zania	1.75
Hollywreath, O'Neill Ft. Co.	1.35

LEMONS.

Transcontinental, S.S. Or.	4.95
Silver Cord, V.C. Kevitt	4.30
Standard	3.45
Golden Bowl, V.C. Kevitt	5.05
Corona	4.40
Aster	3.35

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Raining. Market is advancing on lemons; market is weak on navels. One car navels, one car lemons and twelve cars Floridas sold. Florida oranges sold from $1.10 to $2.25.

LEMONS.

	Avge.
Greyhound, S.D. Ex.	$5.15
Duck, S.D. Ex.	3.85
Pup, S.D. Ex.	4.45

NAVELS.

Hiawatha, T.C.C. Lisco	$1.60

Cleveland Market.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Three cars navels sold. Market is higher. Cold, cloudy.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Naranjo, T.C.C. Naranjo	$2.50
Gold Buckle, R.E. High	2.85
Sunbeam	2.00
Naranjo Prize, T.C.C. Ex.	2.30
Lochinvar, R.H. E. High	2.65

LEMONS.

Gold Buckle, R.H. E. High	$4.75
Lochinvar, R.H. E. High	3.10

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104, fifty shares changing hands. During the morning's trading the stock sold down to 103, although the volume of business was not large. It opened half a point lower in the afternoon, and declined to 102, with one sale of two shares at 101 toward the close. Final quotations were 101.62½ bid at 103.50. Union oil showed no particular change and closed $90.50 bid at $91. National Pacific held at 2¼, one block of 10,000 shares changing hands in the afternoon. It closed 2 1-8 bid at 2¼. Palmer oil sold at 20.

There was a five point better bid for Security Trust and Savings Bank stock, and a two and a half point better bid for Central National Bank stock. No sales were reported.

SAN FRANCISCO EXCHANGE.

Belmont Declines Ten—Output of Tonopah Mines Shows Increase. Strike Reported in Manhattan.

[Special service to The Times by E. F. Taylor, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—Goldfield Consolidated was a strong feature. It opened 215 bid. Merger was down 2 points. Atlanta lost one and Florence one. The Manhattans held strong. Big Four up four points. In the Tonopah camp Belmont was off 10, Merger 2, Midway 2, Tonopah Extension 10 and West End 2½. Montana made a 7½-point gain and McNamara two. In the outlying camps Peak was up 5. In the Comstocks Consolidated Virginia was down 3, Sierra 3 and Union 2. The Manhattan advices say that a new ledge carrying milling values was struck last week on the 200-foot level, 250 feet northwest of the shaft. Ore is four feet wide and runs $15 per ton. The output of the Tonopah mines last week was valued at $212,000 an increase of $11,000 over the week previous. The output in tons which amounted to 11,297, is a record breaker for the camp in any week of its existence.

Following are the closing bid and asked prices:

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SAN FRANCISCO CLOSING STOCK AND BOND QUOTATIONS.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury building, Los Angeles.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive to The Times.] The closing quotations and sales on the Stock and Bond Exchange were as follows:

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SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

FRUIT, GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—Fruits—Fancy apples, 50; common, 40.

Berries—Strawberries, nominal; cranberries, 12.50@13.50.

Grapes—Ordinary, 50@1.00.

Persimmons—75@1.50.

Oranges—Navels, 1.25@2.50.

Mexican limes—4.00@4.50.

Lemons—Common California, 1.50; fancy, 5.50.

Flour—Family extras, 5.40@5.80; bakers' extras, 4.65@5.40; Oregon and Washington, 4.50@4.75.

Wheat—Shipping, 1.47½@1.50.

Barley—Feed, 1.37½.

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Call Board Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Wheat, steady; December, 1.50 asked; cash, 1.47½@1.50. Barley, steady; December, 1.45; May, 1.51; cash, 1.37½. Corn, steady; Western States yellow not quoted. Afternoon session: Wheat, steady; December, 1.48½ asked. Barley, steady; December, 1.45; May, 1.51.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Silver bars, 63¼; Mexican dollars, nominal; drafts, sight, 2½; do., telegraph, 5.

OIL STOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO CLOSING PRICE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—[Exclusive to The Times.] Closing bid and asked prices:

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OIL LIST.

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LOS ANGELES STOCK EXCHANGE.

Union Provident Exhibits Weakness—Little Activity Displayed in Other Issues During Day.

Union Provident, which was the chief feature yesterday, opened [illegible]

General Eastern.

WHEAT AND CORN FINISH STRONG.

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Last Straw.

WAR IS DECLARED AFTER HOT SHOT FROM GARBUTT.

Negotiations With the Automobile Association of America Are Called Off Following Telegram from William Schimpf—Western Automobile Association to Fight It Out to Last Ditch.

BY BERT C. SMITH.

William Schimpf, Chairman Contest Board,
American Automobile Association,
437 Fifth avenue, New York City.

We have your telegram of December 13, for which we thank you, but it does not answer our leading questions which are as follows: Will your association devise or consent to some plan whereby the West may control its own affairs and itself administer the law laid down by your board, and will you appoint a local representation with power to act to meet the situation here? The West is not trying, as you intimate, to pull away from the national governing board, but is desirous of acting in harmony with it if possible. An immediate and definite reply may obviate the necessity of completing the organization which you are desirous of preventing. In any event it will be appreciated.

FRANK A. GARBUTT, Chairman.

SCHIMPF'S REPLY.

Frank Garbutt,
Los Angeles.

Your telegram December 14, our reply to your first leading question is in the negative. Contest Board representative will be appointed ONLY upon recommendation Auto Club Southern California. If you are sincere in your desire to work in harmony with governing body would suggest that all governed prove it by dropping talk of separate governing body for the West. In my estimation there is no North, East, South or West in the work of the national association. It is one big undivided community and there must be no sectional feeling if the organization is to be a success.

WILLIAM SCHIMPF.

GARBUTT'S HOT SHOT.

William Schimpf, Chairman Contest Board,
American Automobile Association,
437 Fifth avenue, New York City.

Replying to your telegram of December 17, we thank you for the definite replies contained therein. We agree with you that there should be no north, east, south or west, but should be united on large questions. We are not thoroughly in accord however with your position that the Pacific Coast can be arbitrarily ruled from the East against its will and your insistence on this point will make further negotiations useless until such time as your organization decides to give the West the proper recognition to which it is entitled. We note your implied distrust of our sincerity, which we think is without cause and we sincerely trust you will at least give us credit for having the welfare of the cause as much at heart as does your own organization.

FRANK A. GARBUTT, Chairman.

With the above telegrams negotiations with the contest board of the A.A.A. were called off yesterday. Chairman William Schimpf's telegram was followed by a hot shot from Chairman Frank A. Garbutt and war was declared.

Automobile racing is to be governed by the western association. A new contest board will be formed. A constitution and bylaws will be formulated.

Sanctions will be issued by the W.A.A. Rulings will be MADE by the new board. Racing will be controlled. Tours will be conducted.

The positive refusal of the contest board to appoint a representative for Southern California brought about the ruction. The sidestepping of Chairman Schimpf when invited into a conference and his refusal to arbitrate caused the break in the strained relations.

HAT IN THE RING.

Overtures for peace now must come from the A.A.A. Action came five seconds after the telegram was received yesterday from Chairman Schimpf stating that the contest board will only appoint a representative upon recommendation from the Automobile Club of Southern California.

Frank Garbutt, chairman of the W.A.A., was the man who took up the cudgel and when Chairman Garbutt began to swing the big stick something happened at every circuit.

The contest board will train its guns on the new Western Automobile Association. Frank Garbutt is the man to direct the battle. There will be something doing every instant from now until the W.A.A. is either established on a sound basis or the A.A.A. comes to terms.

BARNEY TO DEFY A.A.A.

Barney Oldfield is here and wants to race with Teddy Tetzlaff. This morning, when Barney reads The Times, he will make application at once for a sanction for his race. This will make Barney an outlaw. He will race Saturday and Sunday of the holiday week and race under the sanction of the W.A.A. After that the deluge.

Having weighed the matter carefully Oldfield has decided. He has enough fighting blood in his veins to be ready to sink or swim with the new association.

Tied up and trussed and all ready for the roasting by the A.A.A., Teddy Tetzlaff now sees relief ahead. Barred from racing under an indefinite suspension the outlaw driver will be offered reinstatement by the W.A.A. and accepted into the ranks of the new association.

THAT SMILE.

Percy Walker, representative of the contest board in San Francisco, a fine fellow, but acting under the direction of the A.A.A. took Tetzlaff into camp for a fierce roasting. He gave Teddy the gaff in the offices of Frank Garbutt. Walker even objected to the smile which really won't come off Chairman Garbutt's face.

"I've got your number," said Walker to Tetzlaff. "You're an outlaw at heart. You richly deserve what you've drawn. It will be a long time before you're reinstated."

While he was handing Tetzlaff this invective, Walker caught that ever-present smile on Chairman Garbutt's face.

"I don't like your smile," said Walker, in his decisive manner. "It's not sincere."

WELL, SCUSE ME.

Then Frank Garbutt did what few men have ever been called upon to do. He apologized for that smile.

"You must excuse me for smiling," said Frank, "but I had no intention of being impolite. It's a habit I have. I just can't help smiling now and then."

Even this explanation did not pour enough oil on the waters to soothe the troubled expression on Walker's face. The San Francisco member of the contest board then explained that he was not in sympathy with any break in the ranks of the A.A.A. He said he did not favor the organization of a new association. He thought matters could be patched up in such a way that everything would be satisfactory.

With Walker on record as being opposed to a new organization there was nothing to do but take the matter up directly with Chairman William Schimpf. Then the wires were kept burning. Telegrams, long enough to make a millionaire sigh at the expense, were sent screeching back to No. 437 Fifth avenue, New York. The answers were not so expensive, but were to the point. Then came the break.

SINEWS OF WAR.

Now the matter is squarely up to the automobile men of this city. Frank Garbutt has never lost a battle, I can testify to that fact. There have been draws, but he has never been vanquished.

The W.A.A. has the advantage as far as I can see it when it comes to the racing situation. They can hold meets under sunny skies while the East is shivering. Can tour while the water is frozen in the radiators of eastern machines. Would have to build snowsheds to hold a race meet. The W.A.A. can enjoy a speed-fest on Christmas Day.

Leon T. Shettler, Earl Y. Boothe and E. E. Hewlett are a committee to frame up the rules and to form the constitution for the new association.

The fight is on. It's to be war without quarter. The battle is a real one. No sham fight. The A.A.A. is a strong body, but the W.W.A. is also strong.

The first opening skirmish is to swing the Automobile Club of Southern California into the line of battle.

Thrown Down the Gauntlet to the A.A.A.

Leon T. Shettler Earle Y. Boothe Eugene E. Hewlett

Frank Garbutt, Chief of the W.A.A.,
And his leading associates in the secession from the Contest Board of the American Automobile Association.

VERNON LOCATION STILL UNKNOWN.

There were no new developments yesterday relative to the transfer of the Vernon baseball team.

President Maier and "Happy" Hogan addressed a formal letter to the head of the Coast League protesting against the proposed transfer, but as the league directors voted to change the franchise to some other location only after months of deliberation, it is unlikely that this epistle will materially affect the situation.

According to surface indications, Venice continues in the lead without serious competition. "Within a few days we will be ready to announce the 1913 location of the team," said Hogan. "There has been no change in the situation."

AGREEMENT IN YOSEMITE.

Hearing on Bill to Change Boundaries of National Park Is Postponed.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Hearings before the House Committee of Public Lands on the Raker bill, which would change boundaries of the National Forest in Yosemite Valley, came to a sudden ending this morning when Representative Raker, on behalf of State Senator Curtin, asked that the hearings be postponed immediately. It is understood that a compromise has been reached between the Secretary of Interior's office, the forest service and Curtin whereby the latter's rights in the Yosemite will be fully protected by the government. Curtin and others own 46,000 acres within the forest and are in constant conflict with the park authorities owing to overlapping of boundaries.

This question is one of the most vexatious with which superintendents of national parks have to deal and at the meeting of superintendents in Yosemite last October all urged elimination of private holdings within limits of national parks.

KOJI YAMADA WINS.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Koji Yamada tonight defeated George Slosson of New York, 400 to 341, the game going forty-nine innings. It was the third game of the Morningstar-Slosson-Yamada series here for a purse of $1000. Yamada's average was $ 8-49; Slosson $ 57-49.

Fistic Facts.

VAN COURT DUBIOUS OVER AL PALZER'S CONDITION.

Big Fellow Shows Added Class in Workout but Is Not Yet Acclimated—Clever Welterweight to Meet Harry Trendall or Packy McFarland—Spider Kelly Takes Johnny Schiff in Hand for Four-round Career.

BY DE WITT VAN COURT.

I TOOK a run out to Jack Doyle's training quarters yesterday afternoon with F. B. Ranger in his big seven-seated motor car to look Al Palzer over. Mr. Ranger is an ardent fight fan and has seen every fight of importance since Jim Corbett and John L. Sullivan met in New Orleans some years ago. He is a good judge of fighters. It is such men as he that makes the boxing game popular. He likes it for the sport alone.

Big Al worked out much better than he did last Friday. He showed more speed, more cleverness and has all the ear marks of a coming champion. But he is a long ways from being in the condition he should be in to meet a hard nut like Luther McCarty.

Tom O'Rourke, his manager, laid him off Tuesday and he did nothing. Palzer is troubled with the climate and also has some trouble with his breathing appartus, which will no doubt come around all right between now and New Year's Day.

I also took a peep at him after he finished his work in the rubbing-room and he was still breathing hard and his skin had some pimples on it. While this does not denote lack of condition, they would never be there if he was absolutely right.

Like all big men, it takes longer to get into condition than a smaller man. Al should have taken one solid month to get right in this climate instead of two weeks.

I am not predicting that he will not win. He is big and strong and always has a chance with any man. But he is far from being right at the present time.

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Letter From Evans.

Jimmy Evans, a clever welterweight who is well known in Los Angeles, writes that he is making good in the East and has a match with either Harry Trendall or Packy McFarland. The date has not been settled as yet, but he may take on both boys.

Jimmy made a hit here as a sparring partner to several good men and proved himself a clever fellow with a great chance to make good. Evans says he expects to make Los Angeles his future home and sends his kindest regards to all his friends.

Britton Making Good.

Dan Morgan, that irrepressible press agent and manager of Jack Britton, writes that Jack is still making good in the East.

Jack recently defeated two men inside of twenty-four hours. He knocked out Billy Bennett, the lightweight champion of Ireland, and defeated Frank Loughery in a six-round go in Philadelphia within that time.

Morgan is still after Packy McFarland and thinks there will be nothing to it if ever Jack and Packy meet; but from the showing Packy made a few nights ago with Murphy he will have to show me.

Britton is no doubt a great boy, but McFarland is as far ahead of the present-day boxers as Jim Corbett was when he was in his prime, and very few in the country gave Gentleman Jim a look-in; but he got there just the same.

Morgan calls Packy a "lemon-picker," and says he refuses to give any good man a chance. But take my tip, Dan, and do not hold Packy too cheap.

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Manager for Schiff.

Johnny Schiff, the little featherweight, has at last got a manager. His new manager is Spider Kelly, who likes Johnny and sent him a first-class ticket to return to San Francisco, where Spider intends to break him in to the four-round game again in that city.

Spider is the greatest judge of a fighter in the world, and, while he may not think Johnny will ever be a champion, he will surely make some money for Schiff and himself.

Kelly knows every four-round and professional fighter that ever fought in the northern city, and any time he takes a boy under his management it is pretty safe to say that he will make good.

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All to the Mustard.

Lem Kegg has been in San Francisco for several weeks and has been making good. "Holy Moses," if Kegg can make good in 'Frisco, what a bunch of "Muts" there must be in that town. We wish you luck, Johnny.

Broadway Ready.

GOTHAM WANTS TO SEE RIVERS.

New York Sports Await the Mexican's Arrival.

Eligren Says He Is Second of His Race.

Who Has Made a Success in the Ring.

BY ROBERT EDGREN.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] Joe Rivers, the Mexican, is coming here to box Leach Cross and incidentally any other eastern lightweights who want his game.

This bout should show a little real action. In the distribution of hearts both Rivers and Cross received the normal number. It won't be another McGoorty-Gibbons affair.

When Rivers shows we will be able to get a line on the western idea of a great lightweight. In Los Angeles Rivers is regarded as a coming champion. From all accounts he has done some splendid fighting against Wolgast, Mandot and other lightweights of renown. If not the best in the ring, he is at least nearly as good as the best. Mandot of New Orleans was the only one to successfully save Rivers a return match. The second time Rivers trimmed Mandot without much trouble.

There has been some discussion of the Rivers-Wolgast bout, in which both Rivers and Wolgast went to the floor at the same time. The referee helped Wolgast to his feet and held him up while he counted over Rivers. The Rivers party claimed that Wolgast had struck the Mexican a foul blow and since Wolgast lost his title to Ritchie on a deliberate foul it doesn't seem unlikely.

Rivers may be simply unlucky in not getting a decision over Wolgast under the same circumstances that gave Ritchie the title. Not long ago I received a letter from a well-known sporting man in the West (not in any way interested in the Mexican) containing a prophecy that Rivers will be world's lightweight champion within a year.

There have been only a few Mexican boxers. The best of the lot was Aurelio Herrera of Bakersfield, Cal. He was the hardest hitting lightweight of his time. A bottle of whisky every night for several years finished Herrera. Out West they say whisky kills Mexicans. For that matter, I never noticed that white men could drink whisky very long without going to pieces mentally and physically.

Aurelio had a brother who was fairly good. The only other Mexican fighter I remember was Mexican Peter Everett, and he was the yellowest quitter in all the varied history of the ring. They say there is no "quit" in Rivers.

The white and the black races have both produced many fighters. A number of good boxers have had Indian blood in their veins, notably Tommy Ryan and Carl Morris. Joe Gregg, once a very good lightweight, was a full blooded Indian.

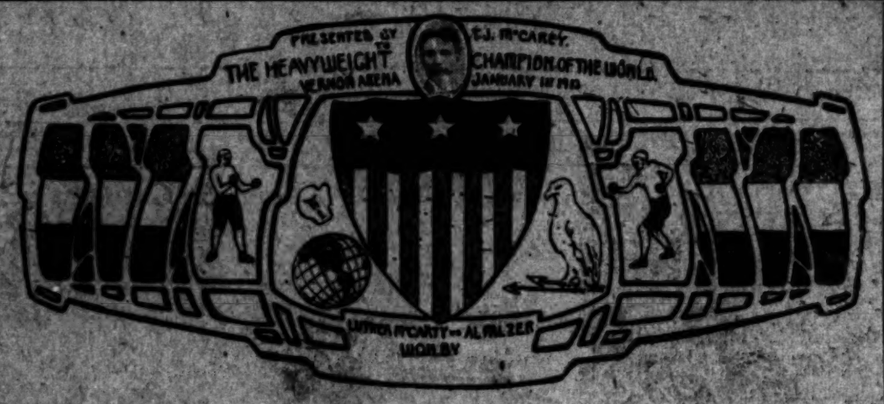
China contributed one boxer, Ah Wing, who fought Rufe Turner and many other good lightweights. Ah Wing was handicapped by his queue, which he wore coiled into a tight knot on top of his head. Opposing boxers often tried to loosen that queue and when they succeeded Ah Wing's goat was gone. Togo, who fought Battling Nelson a hard six rounds, is the only Japanese boxer of any note. There was once a Maori heavyweight, Made, but he didn't amount to much.

"I know fighting is a bad business for your face," says Leach Cross, "but good looks never bring in the money. I would rather my face looked like a map of the Rocky Mountains than be poor."

Cross, under the name of Dr. Louis Wallach, repairs molars and performs other operations on the teeth—once in a very long while. He is said to be one of the best money-getters in the fistic game.

From December 11, 1911, he has engaged in nineteen boxing contests and his net earnings therefrom have been $36,000.

"Why, I would have to rank all the teeth in the Bronx and put in crockery to make that much in a year," says Leach.



Tom McCarey's Diamond Belt.

To be given the winner of the Palzer-McCarty fight. It carries with it the title of heavyweight champion of world.

All About It.

M'FARLAND GOT HIS START BOXING A NEGRO.

PACKY M'FARLAND, aspirant for the lightweight pugilistic championship, was born November 1, 1895. At the age of 2 weeks and 1 day he caught his nurse a severe right hook under the jaw because the lady attempted to separate him from his milk bottle. When 5 weeks old he rushed from the house at the sight of a colored person who was raking leaves in the front yard of his home and beat the African over the head with his own rake.

These incidents convinced Mr. McFarland's parents that they had a coming champion in their midst, and Packy was put into training, his crib being fitted out with a punching bag and pulley weights.

Realizing that one of the greatest needs of a fistic champion was the ability to write challenges to other champions, Mr. McFarland was sent as soon as he arrived at the proper age to St. Ann's parochial school, where he devoted himself to reading, writing and arithmetic, and fought with all colored persons, regardless of age, sex or previous condition of servitude.

MAC INTERRUPTED.

McFarland's scholastic pursuits were interrupted at the age of 14, when he began study at the Farren public school. Mr. McFarland matriculated at the Farren public school, went through the course, and graduated all in five minutes. This splendid record was due to the teacher who stood at the desk in the room into which Mr. McFarland was ushered when he entered the Farren school.

This teacher was of a very dark complexion and was mistaken by the youthful McFarland for an Ethiopian. The explosion took place at once. When young McFarland was dragged away from the silent form which lay stretched on the floor behind the teacher's desk, he was escorted to the door and fired bodily, his graduation being assisted by the dark-complexioned teacher, who recovered consciousness in time to dent Packy with his shoe as the future champion finished his scholastic career.

Failing of finding a school where the teachers and pupils were all Albinos, Mr. McFarland's parents placed their offspring in a boiler factory, where the boilers, being a deep black, would coax him to wonderful feats with the sledge hammer. Packy loved his work and beat three boilers out of the ring and hammered another one into insensibility before the whistle blew at the end of the first day.

NO COLOR LINE.

There was an African child, aged 15 summers, employed in the boiler shop, but the manager of the establishment, knowing McFarland's aversion to persons of brunette complexion, thought to avert trouble by keeping the African child employed on the roof while Packy beat up boilers in the cellar. However, soon after the whistle blew the signal for the commencement of labor on the second day, Mr. McFarland suddenly dropped the hammer with which he was pummeling a boiler in the basement and hastened instinctively to the roof.

The young African and the youthful McFarland fought all over the roof and down four flights of stairs before the factory workmen could lasso them and drag them apart. McFarland beat the fighting the young African the next day even before the whistle blew, and the boss of the shop decided that he wanted to manufacture boilers—he would have to dispense with both one child African and young McFarland, which he then and there did.

Young McFarland had met with so much difficulty in reducing the child African to an unrecognizable pulp that he hunted up the Park Manor Athletic Club and went into hard training, doing terrible execution to a punching bag which the training teacher, knowing Mr. McFarland's pet aversion, had cunningly painted black and covered at the top with short wool dyed with coal tar.

HOW PACKY STARTED.

McFarland's first fight for a commercial consideration was with a young man named Pete West. Mr. West had the best of the first round, and it looked as if young McFarland's pugilistic career was to end as soon as it had begun. In the interval between rounds however, one of the attendants in Mr. McFarland's corner whispered to Packy that his opponent was none other than Booker T. Washington, with his face whitewashed. Accordingly young McFarland sailed out in the second round like a Kansas cyclone and not only forced his rival through the ropes, but chased him out of the barn and ten blocks down the street.

He received a purse of $3 for his victory and took $1.50 home to his mother, donating the balance of the purse to a man who said he was raising a fund to put dynamite under a corner of Africa and blow it off the world.

Parental opposition to the career selected by young Mr. McFarland became so strenuous that he fled from home and sought a refuge with relatives in Davenport, where he passed a few delightful years fighting the African roustabouts on Mississippi River steamers.

Mr. Farland since those days has fought many battles and accumulated something like $200,000. He is a great reader, especially of Charles Dickens, who is his favorite novelist, because he has no Africans numbered among the many characters he has created.

HATES THE GUSH.

McFarland is so good looking that when he went down to New York a few years ago a lady writer described him in large black headlines as "A Curly-haired Apollo." Mr. McFarland immediately had his lovely raven locks shaved off with a razor, and paid a beauty doctor a large price to put two artificial warts on his nose, so that his charms would not again be commented upon in the public press and subject him to the attention of females.

Mr. McFarland does not drink, swear, smoke or gamble, and screams loudly for the police if lovely woman attempts to flirt with him. He is now engaged in completing "Martin Chuzzlewit," developing a plan to compel all colored citizens to emigrate to China, and in trying to get a finish fight out of Ad Wolgast.

HIGGINS TO ASSIST CATHOLIC ATHLETES.

An important meeting of the Catholic Athletic League, which has lately affiliated with the Southern Pacific branch of the A.A.U., was held last night at the quarters of the St. Joseph Young Men's Club.

Pat Higgins has volunteered his services to the association as a director of athletics and it is believed there will be teams in the field within a short time, representing the Catholic organization in many branches of sport.

James Donahue will also assist in developing a track team. It is believed that the St. Vincent field, on Grand avenue, will be secured for the various meets, games and training purposes.

JEFFRIES BIGGER THAN AL PALZER.

Al Palzer has been likened to Jeffries. He has been described as his equal physically, and he impresses one as such at first sight.

But Jeffries, at the same stage of his career, was a bigger man than Palzer. He outmeasured him in nearly every respect. This is shown by measurements taken of Jeffries while he was training at the Reliance Club in Oakland for his fight with Joe Choynski in 1897.

Jim's biceps were larger than Al's by three inches, while he weighed 225 pounds in fighting trim. Palzer will not tip the beam above 220. These measurements show, however, that some of the difference in weight was in the legs, and more of a detriment than a help to fighting. Jeffries measured much larger around the thigh than Palzer.

While Jeffries undoubtedly was more powerful than Palzer, the latter appears to come nearer the ideal as a ring athlete. It remains to be seen whether Palzer can approximate Jeff's stamina and endurance.

BASEBALL TROPHY.

Fraternity Offers Cup for Highest Batting Average Made by Law School Player.

Athletics in the University of Southern California College of Law should be materially stimulated by an offer made yesterday of a silver challenge cup to the baseball player making the highest batting average during the season. The offer was made by the Theta Lambda Phi Fraternity and the cup will be known as the Theta Lambda Phi trophy.

In the event the cup is won twice by the same player it will become his personal property and a new trophy will be offered.

The award is to be made subject to the following conditions: The player must be a bona-fide student of the College of Law. He must play in at least one-half of the intercollegiate games, and his batting average must be more than .225.

Until the cup is won twice by a player it is to remain in the custody of the dean of the law school, the athletic manager and the captain-elect of the team for the ensuing year.

The Aftermath.

LID MAY DROP UPON KENOSHA.

CARNIVAL OF CRIME AROUSES DEEP INDIGNATION.

Packy McFarland May Fight Jack Britton in New York—Report Has It That Packy Is to Wed Woman Bank Clerk of Joliet. Rudy Unholz Comes Back.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] A carnival of crime that hit Kenosha on the night of the Packy McFarland-Eddie Murphy fight, may result in the clamping down of the fight lid in the little Wisconsin town.

Pickpockets robbed victims right and left while the spectators were crowding to get into the club's quarters to witness the match. Prominent citizens are opposed to entertaining a crowd of fight fans and are clamoring for the lid to be put on pugilism.

The proposed Packy McFarland-Jack Britton fight seems likely to go to New York.

BACK TO CHI.

Rudy Unholz, following his victory last night at Fond du Lac, over Robert Edgar, is coming back to Chicago to get ready for other fights. Unholz covered himself with glory in his ten-round fight. Though outweighed by his opponent, Rudy forced the milling and outboxed the Wisconsin fighter.

Nate Lewis has received a letter from Joe Levy, manager of Joe Rivers, in which the writer says the only match offered him in New York was with Leach Cross. Levy says he would insist upon Cross making 133 pounds ringside. Lewis wired for a match for his charge, Charley White, with Rivers.

WEDDING BELLS.

A report from Joliet, Ill., says Packy McFarland is soon to wed a young woman bank clerk of that city. Packy met the girl, whose name is being withheld, through his friend, Rev. Dr. Walsh of St. Mary's Catholic Church.

Eddie Murphy is on the trail of Jack Britton for a bout.

Eddie McGoorty and George (K. O.) Brown are likely to be matched in the near future.

Packy McFarland's next fight is to be an eight-round match at South Omaha, a week from Friday night, with Freddie Daniels.

MORRIS BEATEN AGAIN.

ATLANTA (Ga.) Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Al Kubiak of Philadelphia was awarded the decision over Carl Morris of Oklahoma at the end of their ten-round bout here last night. Kubiak landed two blows to Morris's one, but none of them seemed seriously to inconvenience the Oklahoman.

High Play.

BANKS AND O'BRIEN PLAY EXCITING BILLIARD GAME.

BALLS were worth $1 apiece in the game between George Banks and Shorty O'Brien in the pocket-billiard tournament at the Majestic last night, as the loser was certain to spoil his clean score and thus be practically put out of the running as far as the $100 first prize is concerned. Even at that costly price Banks forfeited seven in penalties and failed to call one of the three scratches made by O'Brien. But the end justified his confidence, for he pulled up at the hundred mark with his adversary eleven in the rear.

This game exceeded all that had gone before in tension of interest and closeness of play throughout. The packed hall testified that patrons recognized the impending fate of one of the two local experts and the chances and results of every shot were quietly predicted by the onlookers before the cues touched the sphere.

Banks led by two points in the third inning, Shorty by one in the next; in the sixth it was 18 to 9 in favor of Banks and in the ninth 17 to 15. Here Shorty took the lead, having 40 to 27 in the seventeenth round. Banks rated 32 to 42 in the next and passed to 46 to 42 in the twenty-first. Banks turned the half-hundred with his opponent two in the rear, but stuck here until at the thirty-fifth inning O'Brien had amassed 77 to his 55.

Banks now was the coolest man in the room, though the necessity of pocketing more than two balls to O'Brien's one confronted him. At the fortieth turn he was only ten behind and in the forty-third he was four ahead, the score reading 82 to 78. During the next frame Shorty caught up and passed by four scores, 89 to 85. But here he was destined to stay while Banks, by extremely fine cuts against uncommonly hard position difficulties, rolled down the winning fifteen. Incidentally, this winning run by Banks, actually seventeen, on account of two previous finesse scratches, was the highest of the game. The game had run fifty-four innings and lasted exactly two hours.

An interesting decision was rendered by Referee Al McKenzie in the fifty-second turn, when Shorty, with the ball in hand, placed it in the mouth of a corner pocket, waiving his shot and accepting the penalty. Banks objected, claiming that O'Brien must play the ball beyond the string by touch of cue, and as his view was sustained Shorty played up the table without disturbing the close group in the triangle.

While treating the subject of referee, it may be well to remark that spectators have commented upon the predilection of players and others toward conversations with referee and markers, expressing the fears that such distractions may injuriously affect the rights of a contestant. The offenders probably fail to realize that a moment of inattention on the part of an official might cost a competitor his prize.

In the noon game Greer defeated Lewis in fifty-four innings, the score standing at 100 to 71, he making also the high run of fourteen.

Guy Fortune won from Eli Barnes by 100 to 88, after an interesting open game of forty-four innings full of quick play, Barnes making high run for the day with twenty.

Barnes immediately took on Thurman Jack, and lost to him in thirty-two innings by 100 to 44, though making high run of seventeen.

Tripp comfortably won over See in the last afternoon game by the score of 100 to 68, with high run of eighteen, though See showed improvement in form and played a commendably careful game.

Increased interest is shown in the games listed for today, which include the clash between Tripp and O'Brien tonight at 8 o'clock. This encounter will give Shorty his opportunity of pulling Tripp down one point in the score sheet, on a level with himself, after which any loss by Banks would practically tie the three for prize chances.

Banks plays Barnes at noon, Fortune follows against O'Brien; Lewis engages See, and Greer plays Jack, in order.

The standing of players this morning follows:

Tripp, won 4, lost 0; Banks, won 3, lost 0; Fortune, won 2, lost 0; O'Brien, won 1, lost 1; Jack, won 2, lost 1; Greer, won 2, lost 2; Lewis won 0, lost 3; Barnes, won 0, lost 4; See, won 0, lost 4.

The Irrepressible.

CHANCE MAY ROUT CHASE.

Not Content to Manage from Bench, Say Critics.

Chase Would Welcome Former Chicago Leader.

Comiskey and Callahan Sure Club Will Show.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] There are critics and baseball men who do not believe that Frank Chance will be content to manage the New York American club from the bench, in the event he signs to lead the team in 1913.

In the light of the former Cub leader's physician, Chance is sound physically. It would occasion no surprise if the great leader of the Chicago Nationals would play at the beginning of the next season.

Some believe he will displace Hal Chase at first base.

CHASE IS FRIENDLY.

Chase would welcome the coming of the former Cub leader. Hal would be glad to have Chance depose him as first sacker of the club. Such a move would give Chase an opportunity he has longed for—a chance to play some other position on the infield.

Chance will not be shy on material to form a nucleus of a good team. There is Russell Ford, once the leading spitball flinger; Warhop, considered the best underhand twirler in the game; George McConnell, good spitball pitcher; Ray Caldwell, a clever slabman; Ray Fisher, an average flinger and others.

PLENTY MATERIAL.

In the outfield, Cree, Wolter and either Ledvent or Daniels for a strong batting trio. Behind the bat will be Ed Sweeney, a first class receiver and Charlie Sterrett, the Princeton player. A second sacker is needed. Tommy McMillan not being strong enough to hold the place. Roy Hartsell, Midkiff and others are considered good infield material.

Hughie Jennings says fourth place is the best he expects of the Tigers next season.

President Comiskey of the White Sox and Manager Jimmy Callahan are certain their club will be in the race for the pennant in 1913.

STRONG INFIELD.

"Babe" Borton seems to fill the bill acceptably at first base; the Zeider-Rath-Weaver combination will make the infield strong and seven outfielders—Mattick, Bodie, Collins, two recruits and Callahan—promise much. With Jim Scott, back, Bans gaining control, White in shape, Cicotte in trim and the reliable Ed Walsh in good condition, the White Sox will be well supplied with pitchers.

TENNIS AND GOLF.

Manager Callahan says the players will play tennis and golf during the early training days at Paso Robles, Cal., instead of playing baseball. They will also be given running exercises.

President Murphy of the Cubs is looking for a trade, and is to leave for Cincinnati tonight.

CROSS-COUNTRY RUN.

Oxy Freshmen Tie for First Place in Third Annual Gorton Cup Race. Devoid of Excitement.

The third annual cross-country run for the Gorton cup was run yesterday afternoon at Occidental College over the three and one-half-mile course. The race was really devoid of excitement in one sense, as it was a foregone conclusion that the race would go to the freshmen.

The freshmen tried to pull the stunt of having four men tie for first, but John Bickford, the lone upper-class man in the race, upset their calculations by coming up at the last moment with a big rush and forcing them to scatter, though they did manage to grab the first four places.

The order in which the men finished is as follows: Cook, '16, and Pettit, '16, tied for first; Knudsen, '16, and Macintosh, '16, tied for third; Bickford, '14, fifth; Hollinger, '15, sixth; Byram, '15, seventh; Hopkins, '15, eighth; Shepard, '15, ninth; Wilde, '16, tenth; Mier, '16, seventh; Boulck, 15, eleventh.

OCCIDENTAL GLEE CLUB MEN PLAY BASKET BALL.

The Occidental College Glee Club, going on its annual tour around the "Kite" during the Christmas vacation, is trying a new stunt in the way of playing basket ball in all the towns at which they stop.

They have formed a team composed solely of bona-fide members of the club and are expecting to put up a good argument with all the teams they meet.

Last night they were called upon suddenly to play South Pasadena High. The songsters gladly took up the burden and had it not been for substitutions at the end of the game, would have had the honor of being the first team to defeat South Pasadena this season. As it was, the score was 34 to 34 when time was called and the two teams are to meet again after the holidays.

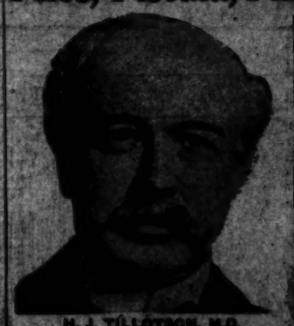
The Glee Club team is composed of Wilson of Long Beach High's last year's team and Barager of Glendale, forwards; Lawyer, formerly of South Pasadena High, plays center and McDonald and Bill Henry, both members of the Junior team, play the guard positions. Games have been arranged at Beaumont, Redlands, Riverside, San Bernardino, Pomona and Colton.

TWO FAST BASKET BALL GAMES AT L. A. A. C.

Two fast basketball games were played at the Los Angeles Athletic Club last night. In the preliminary match the Monrovia High School five defeated the Hollywood High team by the close score of 21 to 20, and in the main event Los Angeles Athletic Club won over El Monte Athletic Club, 52 to 19.

After and Buess of the El Monte five played a wonderful game, but the team work of the L.A.A.C. five was too much for them. Elkeles and Stan Mitchell were the brilliants of the "Mercury" line-up, and put up one of the best games of basketball ever seen in Southern California.

Piles, Fistula, Fissures and Hem



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KEARNS PUTS DAVIS OUT IN LESS THAN TWO MINUTES.

Right Swing on Neck Stands Buffalo Fighter on His Head With One Leg Through the Ropes and He Is Counted Out While in This Position.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] Soldier Kearns, the massively built heavyweight boxer of Brooklyn, dashed the hopes of George (One Round) Davis of Buffalo in less than two minutes of boxing at the Fairmont Athletic Club tonight.

The knockout was one of the most spectacular, even seen in the city. Kearns caught Davis with a left-hand punch flush on the jaw and the Buffalo man's hands dropped to his sides powerless.

Like a flash Kearns stepped in and sidewiped him with a right swing on the neck. Davis hit the floor with a crash. He turned a complete back somersault and his legs hit the second rope.

Davis stood on his head with one leg through the ropes and took the count in that position. At the count he rolled over and tried to rise but it was only after the referee had finished his count that the fallen man struggled to his feet.

Davis was whipped from the start. Kearns went at him and after a few seconds of feinting smashed a left hook to the face. Some clumsy attempts at sparring followed.

Kearns drove Davis back across the ring with a left and right to body and jaw. After a clinch, Davis unloosed a smashing uppercut that drove Kearns into a corner. One more exchange followed with Kearns doing the heavy work and then came the sensational end.

By virtue of his victory over Davis Kearns won his right to meet Gunboat Smith and the winner of this battle will probably be matched with the winner of the McCarty-Palzer fight.

THERE IS A HITCH.

RELEASE ASSURED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CINCINNATI, Dec. 18.—That there is a hitch in the much-talked-of arrangement by which Frank Chance, former manager of the Chicago Nationals, would become manager of the New York American team, became known here today when President August Herrmann of the Cincinnati club stated that he had not released Chance.

President Herrmann obtained Chance several weeks ago through the waiver route; and it was thought that he intended that the former Chicago manager would lead the Cincinnati team the coming season. However, Joe Tinker was traded to Cincinnati and immediately Chance's name became linked with the managership of the New York Americans. It is believed here that any hitch in the proceedings has come from Chance and that his release by the Cincinnati club will be granted as soon as it is asked.

RHEINSCHILD ILL.

According to word received by Sid Neighbors yesterday, George Rheins-

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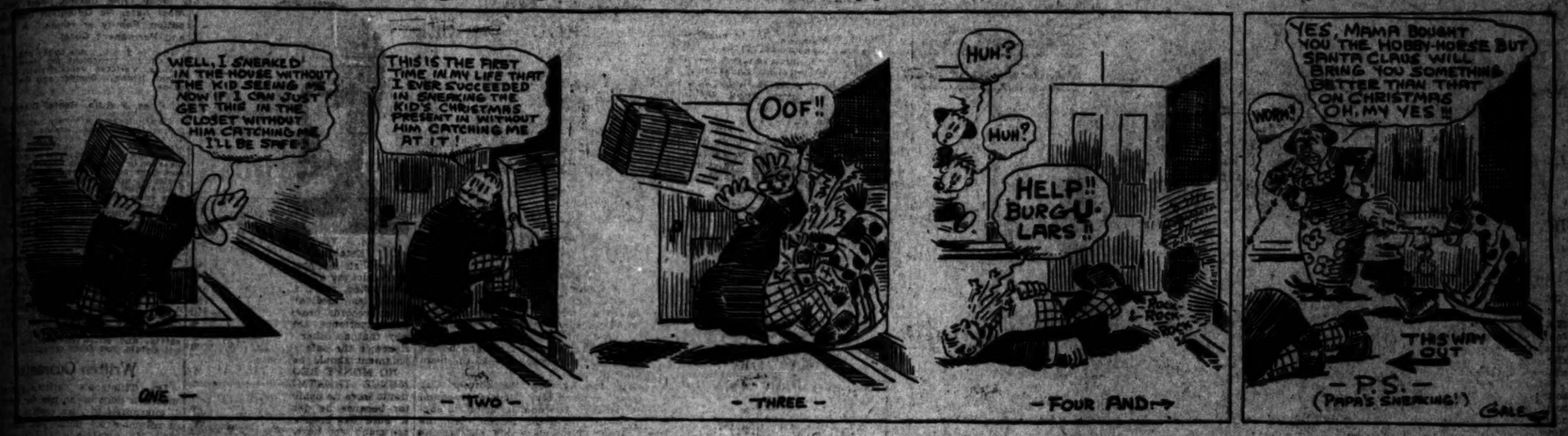

AROUND THE TRAINING QUARTERS.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

KILBANE has shattered [illegible] which had amazed him [illegible] weeks. The champion is willing to [illegible] which he has worn [illegible] Attell.

[illegible] last night, Kilbane [illegible] to box Attell before the Pacific [illegible] April. March 17 had been [illegible] the former would consent [illegible] the New Yorker, but [illegible] the match be made [illegible] personal reasons for [illegible] postponed, however, to be well-founded. [illegible] known as a big fellow, but some were a bit skeptical regarding his condition. Palser had throat trouble when he landed here, and has been more or less affected by the change of climate, but hopes to throw these off by hard work.

"Palser may not be at his best—probably he isn't—but if he gets any better 'I'm thinkin' that he will be in danger of commitin' manslaughter," soliloquized Tim O'Rourke, as he left camp.

Following Palser's workout with Charley Horn and Al McCluskey, Sammy Trott boxed three battling rounds with Young Joe Thomas. Both boys look good enough to be put to work.

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Newhouse on the Job

Frank Newhouse, who is training Palser, handled an indicator in the Coast League part of last season. In addition to having been a fighter of some note—he has a cauliflower ear—Newhouse has trained about everything in the United States from the U.S.C. track team to the Philadelphia Athletics.

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A "Bunch of Micks."

The postman delivered a letter at Greenwald's yesterday bearing the following alliterative address:

"To a Bunch of Micks,
"Billy McCarney, Manager of Luther McCarty, Los Angeles, Cal.
"In care of Twin McCarey."

"Looks like a directory of the Irish population," sympathized Tim McGrath, "but it isn't complete. I wouldn't open it. It is from some humorist, and that means that it's loaded. He's probably trying to make a touch."

All of which would seem to indicate that Tim is considerably peeved over having been omitted.

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Palser Wanted in Paris.

Palser is wanted in Paris. O'Rourke yesterday received a letter from Leon See, Directeur-Redacteur en Chef, offering him three matches for Palser. Two of these are to be with opponents not yet named, and the third with the English champion, Bombardier Wells. The handle to Mr. See's name has me guessing, but as he is a power in Paris boxing, we won't hold that against him.

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Not Responsible for Monroe.

Tim McGrath disclaims all responsibility for Jack Monroe having been inflicted on the public. Tim trained him, but further than that he can't be implicated.

Contrary to the general impression, Monroe was not matched with Jeffries solely on the strength of his showing against the latter in their four-round exhibition.

"Monroe was sort of wished on me," reminiscently mused McGrath yesterday. "I was training Sharkey, grooming him as it were for a third fight with Jeffries. Then all of a sudden Monroe happened along and licked Sharkey.

"Jim Coffroth burned up the wires telling me to grab Monroe, as he wanted to go through with the Jeffries match. He planned to substitute Monroe for Sharkey. The plan was carried out. Did Monroe have anything at all? Sure thing. He had one of the finest hammerlock holds that you ever saw. Once let him get close enough to wrap his arms around the other fellow, and you had to use a crowbar to pry him off.

"I have trained some good fighters in my time, and a lot of the other kind. But even at this late day I refuse to assume any responsibility for Monroe. I never told him or any of his friends that he could fight."

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Hadn't Heard of Campi.

An eastern sporting man tipped me to the following good story yesterday:

Sam Harris, manager of Kid Williams, and Monte Falkins, Eddie McGoorty's manager, met in New York the other day. Their conversation naturally drifted to "shop."

"What's doing?" asked Falkins.

"Not much of anything," replied Harris, showing signs of ennui. "Oh, yes, by the way, McCarey wants me to take Williams out to Los Angeles to meet some kid. I have forgotten his name. I guess he doesn't amount to much."

"Can't you recall his name?" insisted Falkins.

"Maybe I have the telegram with me," said Harris, fumbling through a bunch of yellow slips. "Here it is. Campi is the kid's name. Ever hear of him?"

"Yes, I have heard of him once or twice; seen him fight a few times, in fact. And, by the way, if you think that he will be a cinch for Williams just cover that," said Falkins, peeling off two crisp $500 bills.

The challenge met with no financial response and Falkins turned on his heel, leaving Harris at the corner of Forty-second and Broadway scratching his head after the manner of a man deeply perplexed.

Team Now Complete.

CALGARY POLO STARS ARRIVE AT CORONADO.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CORONADO, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Howard Clark and E. [illegible] Dupee, No. 1; Capt. J. C. Besley, No. 2; J. Hibbs, No. 3; Maj. C. G. Ross, back.

This line-up seems to be destined to be one that will play in the inaugural matches in the name of Coronado. Malcolm Stevenson and Perry Beadleston, who are to be members of the Coronado team, will be unable to reach here from England before the middle of January and the Coronado team will not be able to present its strongest front before that time.

L.A.A.C. RUGGERS HAVE HARD GAME SATURDAY.

The L.A.A.C. Rugby football team will play its last game Saturday afternoon on Bovard Field, before the big match game with the U.S.C. varsity Christmas Day. The clubmen will have the Los Angeles High School team for opponents in this game and if the hill toppers turn out an aggregation anything like the one that faced the Berkeley High School last Saturday for the State title, the L. A. A.C. men are going to have a test that will make or mar them for the big game next Wednesday.

Up to the present time the club has been playing rather easy teams and for this reason, Capt. Mow Mitchell is anxious to send his men through at least one hard scrimmage before the final game of the season. After this game he will make the final selections and the club team will be chosen according to the showings made by the men used in the game with the High School.

NEW BERTH FOR "DAD."

It is reported that Dad Moulton, the veteran trainer who has been training Stanford athletes for the past decade, will have charge of the track squad at Santa Clara College next spring.

Last Chance.

GAME READY FOR L.A.A.C. MEN.

Trojan Rugby Team in Shape for Christmas Game.

Contest Will Be Final One of Football Season.

Fine Battle Should Result as Squads Are Equal.

BY OWEN R. BIRD.

As the time draws near for the final football game of the season between the Los Angeles Athletic Club and the University of Southern California on Christmas Day, interest in football circles is increasing. It will be the first big game played by the team organized at the club, while it will be the last chance for the Trojans this season.

The varsity has been suffering from some rather biting criticism this fall because it has not won a game. However, these "knocks" come from unknowing sources, as the Trojans have been up against terrific odds in every game.

All the teams that were brought south this fall were composed of veterans, who have been playing the English game from five to seven years, and it is little wonder that the teams of this nature should know more Rugby than the local squad, which has only been in the Rugby field for two seasons.

CLUB HAS EDGE.

The odds in the coming game will not be so great, though the club team is composed almost entirely of former California and Stanford stars, who know the finer points of the game, but who have not been in training as a team, as long as have the Trojans. While it might be said that the U.S.C. squad has found itself and gone from a studied defense to a slashing offense, I would say that if Manning's men put up the same brand of ball on Christmas, as was played by them on Thanksgiving, the L.A.A.C. veteran stars are going to have one of the grandest arguments in the world and some very thrilling Rugby should be played.

OFFENSE TO BE STRONG.

I have said before that the club men work on the theory that the best defense is a good offense, but when you have two teams working along the same lines, what will the harvest be?

The Trojans have found out that defensive Rugby may hold down an opponent's score, but will never win a game, so Manning has at last inoculated his men with the dash of the open game. They have found out that they can make pretty passing rushes and gain ground just like any other aggregation and this style of game opens up the sport and makes it worth while.

KEEN RIVALRY.

The spirit of rivalry between the two teams is even more keen than if the club squad was representing one of the northern universities, owing to the fact that both aggregations will draw their supporters from local circles. The L.A.A.C. team is made up of former Stanford and California men, but nearly every one claims Los Angeles as his home town. The members of the club are taking a great interest in the welfare of the football team, so the men in blue should have a goodly bunch of rooters when the whistle blows.

TROJANS DESERVE SUPPORT.

Of course the Trojans will have the U.S.C. student body behind them and if ever a team was deserving of strong unqualified support, it is these same Trojans. For two years the squad has been fighting uphill battles against more experienced teams, but learning Rugby all the time. It is a tough row to hoe, but there never was anything easy for pioneers and this instance is no exception.

Before taking up the English game there were no better football teams in the country than at the University and with this same material learning Rugby there should be no reason why the teams in the future should not be as good, in the new sport, as were the old teams at the American game. The U.S.C. team expects to enter this game at full strength and in better physical condition than before any game this season.

TEAMS EVENLY MATCHED.

It would be a hard matter to definitely compare the two teams and get accurate results, owing to the fact that the club team has not yet played any of the big teams in the State. The aggregation has twice played the U.S.C. second team and won in each case, though the victory in the first game was a better one than in the last, when the club stars had the time of their lives nosing out the Trojan scrubs by the score of 5 to 3.

The L.A.A.C. backfield looks faster and better than the U.S.C. backfield, but the U.S.C. forwards have a nice edge on the clubmen. The Trojan scrum is a famous organization and has fought its way through two seasons, bearing most of the burden of battle.

The U.S.C. backs have been improving of late and may surprise in this game, while L.A.A.C. forwards have been working hard for the past week and have been showing marked class in dribbling. Taking all these factors into consideration, the teams are very evenly balanced, but the L.A.A.C. squad has the more experienced players.

HARRIMAN'S SON IS HEAD COACH.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW HAVEN, (Ct.) Dec. 18.—The resignation of James Rodgers, as chief coach of the Yale crew, has left Averill Harriman, the 20-year-old son of the late E. H. Harriman, at the head of the coaching system. This is the first time a Yale undergraduate has acted as head coach since the days of Bob Cook, back in 1874.

Young Harriman last year coached the freshman eight, the only Yale crew to capture an event on the Thames last June, and as a reward was appointed chief lieutenant to Rodgers.

He has made a careful study of English methods and styles of rowing and will endeavor to put them in practice here. Last spring he went to England and remained for three weeks in the camps of the Oxford and Cambridge oarsmen when they were preparing for their annual regatta. He may visit England again this winter.

WESTERN A.C. TO BRANCH OUT IN AMATEUR FIELD.

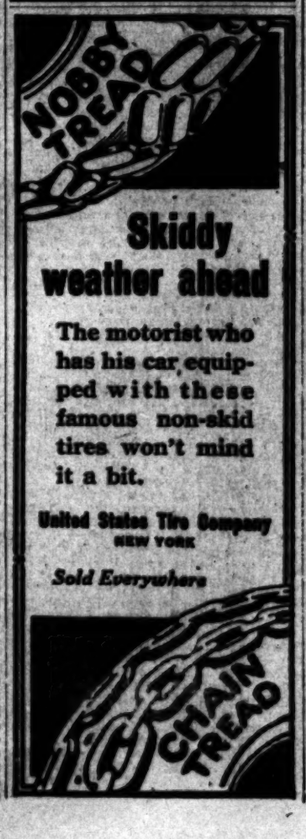
The Western Athletic Club is about to branch out on an active athletic campaign, which will cover all the fields of amateur sport. Yesterday Bill Hart, manager of the club, made regular application to the local branch of the Amateur Athletic Union for membership and the club will be admitted at the next monthly meeting.

During the past three months this new organization has been growing steadily and is now ready to put teams in the field in every line. There will be a baseball team this spring, and also a fairly good track team entered in the A.A.U. championships. Manager Hart is going to stimulate interest in handball and will hold a city championship tournament on the western courts some time during January.

Boxing, swimming, wrestling and gym teams are now being organized with good men in every squad. The club should be encouraged in this stand, as it means that the ranks of amateur athletics are to receive another valuable member.

BIG LEAGUE DATES.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] April 10 will be the opening day in both the American and National leagues, President Johnson of the former organization, has announced. The season will close on October 4, in the East, and October 5, in the West. Schedules for both leagues will be drawn up at a meeting at French Lick Springs, January 2.



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FRANKLIN & R. & L. ELECTRICS—R. C. Hamlin, Twelfth and Olive Streets. Main 404, Home 60249.

FIRESTONE - COLUMBUS - ELECTRIC—California Automobile Co., 1250-1260 W. 7th St. Wilshire 788, Home 53018.

GARFORD & REO—Lord Motor Car Company, 1032-38 South Olive Street. 10845, Main 5470.

HUDSON—Hudson Sales Co., Phones—Sunset Main 678, Home A4734. 1118 South Olive Street.

HUPMOBILE—M. C. Nason, 1017-1019 South Olive. A1007, Broadway 2967.

JACKSON—Chas. H. Thomason, 1142-44 South Olive Street. F6390, Broadway 1947.

KISSEL KAR—Kissel Automobile Co., 118 West Pico Street. Broadway 2186, 22886.

MITCHELL — Greer - Robbins Co., Twelfth and Flower Streets. Broadway 5410, A1187.

NATIONAL—National Motor Car Co., 1130-1132 South Olive Street. F4353, Main 3329.

OAKLAND—Hawley King & Co., 1027-33 South Olive Street.

OLDSMOBILE — Oldsmobile Co. of California, 1205 South Olive. Main 3130, F5647.

OVERLAND—H. W. Leavitt & Co., 1212 South Olive Street. Main 4277, F4263.

PACKARD and R. & L. ELECTRICS—California Motor Co., Tenth and Hope Sts. Main 6060, 60406.

PIERCE-ARROW—W. E. Bush, 1701-1711 South Grand Avenue. Home 60295 and Main 2257.

POPE-HARTFORD — Wm. R. Rueas, corner 10th and Olive. Main 7276, Home 60173.

PREMIER — Premier Motor Car Co., 1127 South Olive Street. Main 679, F2664.

PULLMAN—Miller & Williams, 1140 South Olive Street. Broadway 2907, Home F2942.

REGAL—Big Four Automobile Co., 1047-49 South Olive. Home F2533.

STEARNS-KNIGHT and OHIO ELECTRIC—Smith Brothers, 742 South Olive Street. Broadway 3834, Home F4206.

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STUTZ-BROWN-SYMONDS CO.—412-414 West Pico Street. Home 25003, Main 7047.

WINTON—W. D. Howard Motor Car Co., 1238 South Flower Street. Broadway 4180, Home F5609.

VELIE AND WARREN — Renton Motor Car Co., 1230 South Main St. Main 1068, Home 10799.

Broadway Ready.

GOTHAM WANTS TO SEE RIVERS.

New York Sports Await the Mexican's Arrival.

Edgren Says He Is Second of His Race

Who Has Made a Success in the Ring.

BY ROBERT EDGREN.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] Joe Rivers, the Mexican, is coming here to box Leach Cross and incidentally any other eastern lightweights who want his game.

This bout should show a little real action. In the distribution of hearts both Rivers and Cross received the normal number. It won't be another McGoorty-Gibbons affair.

When Rivers shows we will be able to get a line on the western idea of a great lightweight. In Los Angeles Rivers is regarded as a coming champion. From all accounts he has done some splendid fighting against Wolgast, Mandot and other lightweights of renown. If not the best in the list, he is at least nearly as good as the best. Mandot of New Orleans is the only one who decisively gave Rivers a return match. The second time Rivers trimmed Mandot without much trouble.

There has been some discussion of the Rivers-Wolgast bout in which both Rivers and Wolgast went to the floor at the same time. The referee helped Wolgast to his feet and held him up while he counted over Rivers. The Rivers party claimed that Wolgast had struck the Mexican a foul blow and since Wolgast lost his title to Ritchie on a deliberate foul it doesn't seem unlikely.

Rivers may be simply unlucky in not getting a decision over Wolgast under the same circumstances that gave Ritchie the title. Not long ago I received a letter from a well-known sporting man in the West (not in any way interested in the Mexican), containing a prophecy that Rivers will be world's lightweight champion within a year.

There have been only a few Mexican fighters. The best of the lot was Aurelio Herrera of Bakersfield. He was the hardest hitting lightweight of his time. A bottle of whisky every night for several years finished Herrera. Out West they say whisky kills Mexicans. For that matter, I never noticed that white men could drink whisky very long without going to pieces mentally and physically.

Aurelio had a brother who was fairly good. The only other Mexican fighter I remember was Mexican Peter Everett, and he was the yellowest quitter in all the varied history of the ring. They say there is no "quit" in Rivers.

The white and the black races have both produced many fighters. A number of good boxers have had Indian blood in their veins, notably Tommy Ryan and Carl Morris. Joe Gregg, once a very good lightweight, was a full blooded Indian.

China contributed one boxer, Ah Wing, who fought Rufe Turner and many other good lightweights. Ah Wing was handicapped by his queue, which he were coiled into a tight knot on top of his head. Opposing boxers often tried to loosen that queue and when they succeeded Ah Wing's goat was gone. Togo, who fought Battling Nelson a hard six rounds, is the only Japanese boxer of any note. There was once a Maori heavyweight, Slade, but he didn't amount to much.

"I know fighting is a bad business for your face," says Leach Cross, "but good looks never bring in the money. I would rather my face looked like a map of the Rocky Mountains than be poor."

Cross, under the name of Dr. Louis Wallach, repairs molars and performs other operations on the teeth—once in a very long while. He is said to be one of the best money-getters in the fistic game.

From December 11, 1911, he has engaged in nineteen boxing contests and his net earnings therefrom have been $36,000.

"Why, I would have to yank all the teeth in the Bronx and put in crockery to make that much in a year," says Leach.

All About It.

M'FARLAND GOT HIS START BOXING A NEGRO.

PACKY M'FARLAND, aspirant for the lightweight pugilistic championship, was born November 1, 1893. At the age of 2 weeks and 1 day he caught his nurse a severe right hook under the jaw because the lady attempted to separate him from his milk bottle. When 5 weeks old he rushed from the house at the sight of a colored person who was raking leaves in the front yard of his home and beat the African over the head with his own rake.

These incidents convinced Mr. McFarland's parents that they had a coming champion in their midst, and Packy was put into training, his crib being fitted out with a punching bag and pulley weights.

Realizing that one of the greatest needs of a fistic champion was the ability to write challenges to other champions, Mr. McFarland was sent as soon as he arrived at the proper age to St. Ann's parochial school, where he devoted himself to reading, writing and arithmetic, and fought with all colored persons, regardless of age, sex or previous condition of servitude.

MAC INTERRUPTED.

McFarland's scholastic pursuits were interrupted at the age of 14, when he began study at the Farren public school. Mr. McFarland matriculated at the Farren public school, went through the course, and graduated all in five minutes. This splendid record was due to the teacher who stood at the desk in the room into which Mr. McFarland was ushered when he entered the Farren school.

This teacher was of a very dark complexion and was mistaken by the youthful McFarland for an Ethiopian. The explosion took place at once. While young McFarland was dragged away from the silent form which lay stretched on the floor behind the teacher's desk, he was escorted to the door and fired bodily, his graduation being assisted by the dark-complexioned teacher, who recovered consciousness in time to dent Packy with his shoe as the future champion finished his scholastic career.

Failing of finding a school where the teachers and pupils were all Albinos, Mr. McFarland's parents placed their offspring in a boiler factory, where the boilers, being a deep black, would coax him to wonderful feats with the sledge hammer. Packy loved his work and beat three boilers out of the ring and hammered another one into insensibility before the whistle blew at the end of the first day.

NO COLOR LINE.

There was an African child, aged 15 summers, employed in the boiler shop, but the manager of the establishment, knowing McFarland's aversion to persons of brunette complexion, thought to avert trouble by keeping the African child employed on the roof while Packy beat up boilers in the cellar. However, soon after the whistle blew the signal for the commencement of labor on the second day, Mr. McFarland suddenly dropped the hammer with which he was pummeling a boiler in the basement and hastened instinctively to the roof.

The young African and the youthful McFarland fought all over the roof and down four flights of stairs before the factory workmen could lasso them and drag them apart. McFarland became fighting the young African the next day even before the whistle blew, and the boss of the shop decided that if he wanted to manufacture boilers he would have to dispense with both the child African and young McFarland, which he then and there did.

Young McFarland had met with as much difficulty in reducing the child African to an unrecognizable pulp that he hunted up the Park Manor Athletic Club and went into hard training, doing terrible execution to a punching bag which the training teacher, knowing Mr. McFarland's pet aversion, had cunningly painted black and covered at the top with short wool dyed with coal tar.

HOW PACKY STARTED.

McFarland's first fight for a commercial consideration was with a young man named Pete West. Mr. West had the best of the first round, and it looked as if young McFarland's pugilistic career was to end as soon as it had begun. In the interval between rounds however, one of the attendants in Mr. McFarland's corner whispered to Packy that his opponent was none other than Booker T. Washington, with his face whitewashed. Accordingly young McFarland sailed out in the second round like a Kansas cyclone and not only forced his rival through the ropes, but chased him out of the barn and ten blocks down the street.

He received a purse of $3 for his victory and took $1.50 home to his mother, donating the balance of the purse to a man who said he was raising a fund to put dynamite under a corner of Africa and blow it off the world.

Parental opposition to the career selected by young Mr. McFarland became so strenuous that he fled from home and sought a refuge with relatives in Davenport, where he passed a few delightful years fighting the African roustabouts on Mississippi River steamers.

Mc. Farland since those days has fought many battles and accumulated something like $200,000. He is a great reader, especially of Charles Dickens, who is his favorite novelist, because he has no Africans numbered among the many characters he has created.

HATES THE GUSH.

McFarland is so good looking that when he went down to New York a few years ago a lady writer described him in large black headlines as "A Cury-haired Apollo." Mr. McFarland immediately had his lovely raven locks shaved off with a razor, and paid a beauty doctor a large price to put two artificial warts on his nose, so that his charms would not again be commented upon in the public press and subject him to the attention of females.

Mr. McFarland does not drink, swear, smoke or gamble, and screams loudly for the police if lovely woman attempts to flirt with him. He is now engaged in completing "Martin Chuzzlewit," developing a plan to compel all colored citizens to emigrate to China, and in trying to get a finish fight out of Ad Wolgast.

HIGGINS TO ASSIST CATHOLIC ATHLETES.

An important meeting of the Catholic Athletic League, which has lately affiliated with the Southern Pacific branch of the A.A.U., was held last night at the quarters of the St. Joseph Young Men's Club.

Pat Higgins has volunteered his services to the association as a director of athletics and it is believed there will be teams in the field within a short time, representing the Catholic organization in many branches of sport.

James Donahue will also assist in developing a track team. It is believed that the St. Vincent field, on Grand avenue, will be secured for the various meets, games and training purposes.

Tom McCarey's Diamond Belt.

To be given the winner of the Palzer-McCarty fight. It carries with it the title of heavyweight champion of world.

JEFFRIES BIGGER THAN AL PALZER.

Al Palzer has been likened to Jeffries. He has been described as his equal physically, and he impresses one as such at first sight.

But Jeffries, at the same stage of his career, was a bigger man than Palzer. He outmeasured him in nearly every respect. This is shown by measurements taken of Jeffries while he was training at the Reliance Club in Oakland for his fight with Joe Choynski in 1897.

Jim's biceps were larger than Al's by three inches, while he weighed 235 pounds in fighting trim. Palzer will pot tip the beam above 220. These measurements show, however, that some of the difference in weight was in the legs, and more of a detriment than a help to fighting. Jeffries measured much larger around the thigh than Palzer.

While Jeffries undoubtedly was more powerful than Palzer, the latter appears to come nearer the ideal as a ring athlete. It remains to be seen whether Palzer can approximate Jeff's stamina and endurance.

BASEBALL TROPHY.

Fraternity Offers Cup for Highest Batting Average Made by Law School Player.

Athletics in the University of Southern California College of Law should be materially stimulated by an offer made yesterday of a silver challenge cup to the baseball player making the highest batting average during the season. The offer was made by the Theta Lambda Phi Fraternity and the cup will be known as the Theta Lambda Phi trophy.

In the event the cup is won twice by the same player it will become his personal property and a new trophy will be offered.

The award is to be made subject to the following conditions: The player must be a bona-fide student of the College of Law. He must play in at least one-half of the intercollegiate games, and his batting average must be more than .225.

Until the cup is won twice by a player it is to remain in the custody of the dean of the law school, the athletic manager and the captain-elect of the team for the ensuing year.

The Aftermath.

LID MAY DROP UPON KENOSHA.

CARNIVAL OF CRIME AROUSES DEEP INDIGNATION.

Packy McFarland May Fight Jack Britton in New York—Report Has It That Packy Is to Wed Woman Bank Clerk of Joliet. Rudy Unholz Comes Back.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] A carnival of crime that hit Kenosha on thy night of the Packy McFarland-Eddie Murphy fight, may result in the clamping down of the fight lid in the little Wisconsin town.

Pickpockets robbed victims right and left while the spectators were crowding to get into the club's quarters to witness the match. Prominent citizens are opposed to entertaining a crowd of fight fans and are clamoring for the lid to be put on pugilism.

The proposed Packy McFarland-Jack Britton fight seems likely to go to New York.

BACK TO CHI.

Rudy Unholz, following his victory last night at Fond du Lac, over Robert Edgar, is coming back to Chicago to get ready for other fights. Unholz covered himself with glory in his ten-round fight. Though outweighed by his opponent, Rudy forced the milling and outboxed the Wisconsin fighter.

Nate Lewis has received a letter from Joe Levy, manager of Joe Rivers, in which the writer says the only match offered him in New York was with Leach Cross. Levy says he would insist upon Cross making 133 pounds ringside. Lewis wired for a match for his charge, Charley White, with Rivers.

WEDDING BELLS.

A report from Joliet, Ill., says Packy McFarland is soon to wed a young woman bank clerk of that city. Packy met the girl, whose name is being withheld, through his friend, Rev. Dr. Walsh of St. Mary's Catholic Church.

Eddie Murphy is on the trail of Jack Britton for a bout.

Eddie McGeorty and George (K. O.) Brown are likely to be matched in the near future.

Packy McFarland's next fight is to be an eight-round match at South Omaha, a week from Friday night, with Freddie Daniels.

MORRIS BEATEN AGAIN.

ATLANTA (Ga.) Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Al Kubiak of Philadelphia was awarded the decision over Carl Morris of Oklahoma at the end of their ten-round bout here last night. Kubiak landed two blows to Morris's one, but none of them seemed seriously to inconvenience the Oklahoman.

High Play.

BANKS AND O'BRIEN PLAY EXCITING BILLIARD GAME.

BALLS were worth $1 apiece in the game between George Banks and Shorty O'Brien in the pocket-billiard tournament at the Majestic last night, as the loser was certain to spoil his clean score and thus be practically put out of the running as far as the $100 first prize is concerned. Even at that costly price Banks forfeited seven in penalties and failed to call one of the three scratches made by O'Brien. But the end justified his confidence, for he pulled up at the hundred mark with his adversary eleven in the rear.

This game exceeded all that had gone before in tension of interest and closeness of play throughout. The packed hall testified that patrons recognized the impending fate of one of the two local experts and the chances and results of every shot were quietly predicted by the onlookers before the cues touched the sphere.

Banks led by two points in the third inning, Shorty by one in the next; in the sixth it was 18 to 9 in favor of Banks and in the ninth 17 to 15. Here Shorty took the lead, having 40 to 27 in the seventeenth round. Banks rated 32 to 42 in the next and passed to 45 to 42 in the twenty-first. Banks turned the half-hundred with his opponent two in the rear, but stuck here until at the thirty-fifth inning O'Brien had amassed 77 to his 55.

Banks now was the coolest man in the room, though the necessity of pocketing more than two balls to O'Brien's one confronted him. At the fortieth turn he was only ten behind and in the forty-third he was four ahead, the score reading 82 to 78. During the next frame Shorty caught up and passed by four scores, 89 to 85. But here he was destined to stay while Banks, by extremely fine cuts against uncommonly hard position difficulties, rolled down the winning fifteen. Incidentally, this winning run by Banks, actually seventeen, on account of two previous finesse scratches, was the highest of the game. The game had run fifty-four innings and lasted exactly two hours.

An interesting decision was rendered by Referee Al McKenzie in the fifty-second turn, when Shorty, with the ball in hand, placed it in the mouth of a corner pocket, waiving his shot and accepting the penalty. Banks objected, claiming that O'Brien must play the ball beyond the string by touch of cue, and as his view was sustained Shorty played up the table without disturbing the close group in the triangle.

While treating the subject of referee, it may be well to remark that spectators have commented upon the predilection of players and others toward conversations with referee and markers, expressing the fears that such distractions may injuriously affect the rights of a contestant. The offenders probably fail to realise that a moment of inattention on the part of an official might cost a competitor his prize.

In the noon game Greer defeated Lewis in fifty-four innings, the score standing at 100 to 71, he making also the high run of fourteen.

Guy Fortune won from Ell Barnes by 100 to 85, after an interesting open game of forty-four innings full of quick play, Barnes making high run for the day with twenty.

Barnes immediately took on Thurman Jack, and lost to him in thirty-two innings by 100 to 44, though making high run of seventeen.

Tripp comfortably won over See in the last afternoon game by the score of 100 to 68, with high run of eighteen, though See showed improvement in form and played a commendably careful game.

Increased interest is shown in the games listed for today, which include the clash between Tripp and O'Brien tonight at 8 o'clock. This encounter will give Shorty his opportunity of pulling Tripp down one point in the score sheet, on a level with himself, after which any loss by Banks would practically tie the three for prize chances.

Banks plays Barnes at noon, Fortune follows against O'Brien; Lewis engages See, and Greer plays Jack, in order.

The standing of players this morning follows:

Tripp, won 4, lost 0; Banks, won 3, lost 0; Fortune, won 2, lost 0; O'Brien, won 1, lost 1; Jack, won 2, lost 1; Greer, won 2, lost 2; Lewis, won 0, lost 3; Barnes, won 0, lost 4; See, won 0, lost 4.

The Irrepressible.

CHANCE MAY ROUT CHASE.

Not Content to Manage from Bench, Say Critics.

Chase Would Welcome Former Chicago Leader.

Comiskey and Callahan Sure Club Will Shake.

[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] There are critics and baseball men who do not believe that Frank Chance will be content to manage the New York American club from the bench, in the event he signs to lead the team in 1913.

In the light of the former Cub leader's physician, Chance is sound physically. It would occasion no surprise if the great leader of the Chicago Nationals would play at the beginning of the next season.

Some believe he will displace Hal Chase at first base.

CHASE IS FRIENDLY.

Chase would welcome the coming of the former Cub leader. Hal would be glad to have Chance depose him as first sacker of the club. Such a move would give Chase an opportunity he has longed for—a chance to play some other position on the infield.

Chance will not be shy on material to form a nucleus of a good team. There is Russell Ford, once the leading spitball finger; Warhop, considered the best underhand twirler in the game; George McConnell, good spitball pitcher; Ray Caldwell, a clever shalkman; Roy Fisher, an average flinger and others.

PLENTY MATERIAL.

In the outfield, Cree, Wolter and either Ledvent or Daniels for a strong batting trio. Behind the bat will be Ed Sweeney, a first class receiver and Charlie Sterrett, the Princeton player. A second sacher is needed. Tommy McMillan not being strong enough to hold the place. Roy Hartsell, Midkiff and others are considered good infield material.

Hughie Jennings says fourth place is the best he expects of the Tigers next season.

President Comiskey of the White Sox and Manager Jimmy Callahan are certain their club will be in the race for the pennant in 1913.

STRONG INFIELD.

"Babe" Borton seems to fill the bill acceptably at first base; the Zeider-Rath-Weaver combination will make the infield strong and seven outfielders—Mattick, Bodie, Collins, two recruits and Callahan—promise much. With Jim Scott, back, Bans gaining control, White in shape, Cicotte in trim and the reliable Ed Walsh in good condition, the White Sox will be well supplied with pitchers.

TENNIS AND GOLF.

Manager Callahan says the players will play tennis and golf during the early training days at Paso Robles, Cal., instead of playing baseball. They will also be given running exercises.

President Murphy of the Cubs is looking for a trade, and is to leave for Cincinnati tonight.

CROSS-COUNTRY RUN.

Oxy Freshmen Tie for First Place in Third Annual Gorton Cup Race. Devoid of Excitement.

The third annual cross-country run for the Gorton cup was run yesterday afternoon at Occidental College over the three and one-half-mile course. The race was really devoid of excitement in one sense, as it was a foregone conclusion that the race would go to the freshmen.

The freshmen tried to pull the stunt of having four men tie for first, but John Bickford, the lone upper-class man in the race, upset their calculations by coming up at the last moment with a big rush and forcing them to scatter, though they did manage to grab the first four places.

The order in which the men finished is as follows: Cook, '16, and Pettit, '16, tied for first; Knudsen, '16, and Mackintosh, '16, tied for third; Bickford, '14, fifth; Hullinger, '15, sixth; Byram, '15, seventh; Hopkins, '15, eighth; Shepard, '15, ninth; Wilde, '16, tenth; Mier, '16, seventh; Bouick, 15, eleventh.

OCCIDENTAL GLEE CLUB MEN PLAY BASKET BALL.

The Occidental College Glee Club, going on its annual tour around the "Kite" during the Christmas vacation, is trying a new stunt in the way of playing basket ball in all the towns at which they stop.

They have formed a team composed solely of bona-fide members of the club and are expecting to put up a good argument with all the teams they meet.

Last night they were called upon suddenly to play South Pasadena High. The songsters gladly took up the burden and had it not been for substitutions at the end of the game, would have had the honor of being the first team to defeat South Pasadena this season. As it was, the score was 34 to 34 when time was called and the two teams are to meet again after the holidays.

The Glee Club team is composed of Wilson of Long Beach High's last year's team and Barager of Glendale, forwards; Lawyer, formerly of South Pasadena High, plays center and McDonald and Bill Henry, both members of the Junior team, play the guard positions. Games have been arranged at Beaumont, Redlands, Riverside, San Bernardino, Pomona and Colton.

TWO FAST BASKET BALL GAMES AT L. A. A. C.

Two fast basketball games were played at the Los Angeles Athletic Club last night. In the preliminary match the Monrovia High School five defeated the Hollywood High team by the close score of 31 to 30, and in the main event Los Angeles Athletic Club won over El Monte Athletic Club, 53 to 19.

After and Buess of the El Monte five played a wonderful game, but the team work of the L.A.A.C. five was too much for them. Ekleles and Stan Mitchell were the brilliants of the "Mercury" line-up, and put up one of the best games of basketball ever seen in Southern California.

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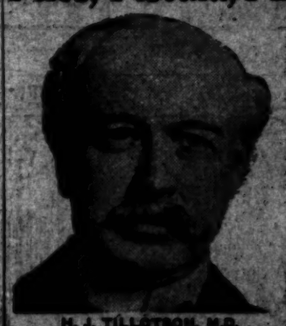

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[BY WIRELESS LINE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 18.—[Special Dispatch.] Soldier Kearns, the massively built heavyweight boxer of Brooklyn, dashed the hopes of George (One Round) Davis of Buffalo in less than two minutes of boxing at the Fairmont Athletic Club tonight.

The knockout was one of the most spectacular even seen in the city. Kearns caught Davis with a left-hand punch flush on the jaw and the Buffalo man's hands dropped to his sides powerless.

Like a flash Kearns stepped in and sidestepped him with a right swing on the neck. Davis hit the floor with a crash. He turned a complete back somersault and his legs hit the second rope.

Davis stood on his head with one leg through the ropes and took the count in that position. At the count he rolled over and tried to rise but it was only after the referee had finished his count that the fallen man struggled to his feet.

Davis was whipped from the start. Kearns went at him and after a few seconds of feinting smashed a left hook to the face. Some clumsy attempts at sparring followed.

Kearns drove Davis back across the ring with a left and right to body and jaw. After a clinch, Davis unloosed a smashing uppercut that drove Kearns into a corner. One more exchange followed with Kearns doing the heavy work and then came the sensational end.

By virtue of his victory over Davis Kearns won his right to meet Gunboat Smith and the winner of this battle will probably be matched with the winner of the McCarty-Palzer fight.

THERE IS A HITCH.

RELEASE ASSURED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CINCINNATI, Dec. 18.—That there is a hitch in the much-talked-of arrangement by which Frank Chance, former manager of the Chicago Nationals, would become manager of the New York American team, became known here today when President August Herrmann of the Cincinnati club stated that he had not released Chance.

President Herrmann obtained Chance several weeks ago through the waiver route; and it was thought that he intended that the former Chicago manager would lead the Cincinnati team the coming season. However, Joe Tinker was traded to Cincinnati and immediately Chance's name became linked with the managership of the New York Americans. It is believed here that any hitch in the proceedings has come from Chance and that his release by the Cincinnati club will be granted as soon as it is asked.

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TRY ONE AND CONVINCE

Mr. Wad Was Getting Along Fine---When He Stepped On the Rocker of a Hobby-Horse!

AROUND THE TRAINING QUARTERS.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

JIMMY KILBANE has shattered the illusion which has encased him in the past several weeks. The featherweight champion is willing to meet Abe Attell—which he has worn on his breast of late Attell.

It was received last night, Kilbane says that he is willing to box Jimmy Dundee before the Pacific club in April. March 17 had been set apart for Kilbane and Dundee providing the former would consent to meet the New Yorker, but Kilbane says that the match be made at once.

With him, it is his personal interests for the present, and all the rest of the years are made with the convenience and comfort in mind. That narrows down to a matter of money or fighting, fighting being of secondary importance.

"Under the circumstances," said Kilbane, "I regard Kilbane's request as reasonable. Neither my manager, Jeff Smith, nor his manager, Jeff Smith, have put themselves in a position to get a crack at Kilbane for the championship."

Newhouse on the Job

Frank Newhouse, who is training Palzer, handled an indicator in the Coast League part of last season. In addition to having been a fighter of some note—he has a cauliflower flap—Newhouse has trained about everything in the United States from the U.S.C. track team to the Philadelphia Athletics.

A "Bunch of Micks."

The postman delivered a letter at Greenswald's yesterday bearing the following alliterative address:

"To a Bunch of Micks,
"Billy McCarney, Manager of Luther McCarty, Los Angeles, Cal.
"In care of Tom McCarey."

"Looks like a directory of the Irish population," suggested Tim McGrath, "but it isn't complete. I wouldn't open it. It is from some humorist, and that means that it's loaded. He's probably tryin' to make a touch."

All of which would seem to indicate that Tim is considerably peeved over having been omitted.

Palzer Wanted in Paris.

Palzer is wanted in Paris. O'Rourke yesterday received a letter from Leon See, Directeur-Radacteur en Chef, offering him three matches for Palzer. Two of these are to be with opponents not yet named, and the third with the English champion, Bombardier Wells. The handle to Mr. See's name has me guessing, but as he is a power in Paris boxing, we won't hold that against him.

Not Responsible for Monroe.

Tim McGrath disclaims all responsibility for Jack Monroe having been inflicted on the public. Tim trained him, but further than that he can't be implicated.

Contrary to the general impression, Monroe was not matched with Jeffries solely on the strength of his showing against the latter in their four-round exhibition.

"Monroe was sort of wished on me," reminiscently mused McGrath yesterday. "I was training Sharkey, grooming him as it were for a third fight with Jeffries. Then all of a sudden Monroe happened along and licked Sharkey.

"Jim Coffroth burned up the wires telling me to grab Monroe, as he wanted to go through with the Jeffries match. He planned to substitute Monroe for Sharkey. The plan was carried out. Did Monroe have anything at all? Sure thing. He had one of the finest hammerlock holds that you ever saw. Once let him get close enough to wrap his arms around the other fellow, and you had to use a crowbar to pry him off.

"I have trained some good fighters in my time, and a lot of the other kind. But even at this late day I refuse to assume any responsibility for Monroe. I never told him or any of his friends that he could fight."

Hadn't Heard of Campi.

An eastern sporting man tipped me to the following good story yesterday:

Sam Harris, manager of Kid Williams, and Monte Falkins, Eddie McGeorty's manager, met in New York the other day. Their conversation naturally drifted to "shop."

"What's doing?" asked Falkins.

"Not much of anything," replied Harris, showing signs of ennui. "Oh, yes, by the way, McCarey wants me to take Williams out to Los Angeles to meet some kid. I have forgotten his name. I guess he doesn't amount to much."

"Can't you recall his name?" insisted Falkins.

"Maybe I have the telegram with me," said Harris, fumbling through a bunch of yellow slips. "Here it is. Campi is the kid's name. Ever hear of him?"

"Yes, I have heard of him once or twice; seen him fight a few times, in fact. And, by the way, if you think that he will be a cinch for Williams just cover that," said Falkins, peeling off two crisp $500 bills.

The challenge met with no financial response and Falkins turned on his heel, leaving Harris at the corner of Forty-second and Broadway scratching his head after the manner of a man deeply perplexed.

Team Now Complete.

CALGARY POLO STARS ARRIVE AT CORONADO.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CORONADO, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Richard Carle and K. G. Snowden arrived tonight, completing the Calgary polo team which will represent Canada during the three months' polo season at the Coronado Country Club and compete with the American and Hawaiian teams for the all-American trophy in the annual tournament in March.

The other two members of the Calgary team are Harry Robertson and O. A. Critchley, who arrived previously. Robertson arrived in November with the Canadian string of seventeen ponies.

These mounts are in splendid condition owing to their use in play in Western Canada during the summer season and training since arriving here. The team will engage in a practice game tomorrow in match play array.

THE LINE-UP.

The team will take positions as follows: R. Carle, No. 1; K. G. Snowden, No. 2; O. A. Critchley, No. 3; H. Robertson, back. The aggregation is touted as the strongest that ever represented Canada in American competitions and is scheduled as one of the teams in the inauguration matches of the Coronado season on New Year's Day.

K. G. Snowden is the only player on the team who was a member of the 1912 team, which proved a favorite at Coronado and other California polo points. Carle and Critchley are former west-of-England players who have associated themselves with the Canadian club. Robertson is a player of note in the dominion and the team is credited with a victory over the North Fork champions of Western Canada, playing before the Governor-General at Winnipeg last summer.

THE CORONADO TEAM.

In the practice match tomorrow the Canadians are to be opposed by a Coronado team composed of Walter H. Dupee, No. 1; Capt. J. C. Besley, No. 2; J. Hibbs, No. 3; Maj. C. G. Ross, back.

This line-up seems to be destined to be one that will play in the inaugural matches in the name of Coronado. Malcolm Stevenson and Perry Beadleston, who are to be members of the Coronado team, will be unable to reach here from England before the middle of January and the Coronado team will not be able to present its strongest front before that time.

L.A.A.C. RUGGERS HAVE HARD GAME SATURDAY.

The L.A.A.C. Rugby football team will play its last game Saturday afternoon on Bovard Field, before the big match game with the U.S.C. varsity Christmas Day. The clubmen will have the Los Angeles High School team for opponents in this game and if the hill toppers turn out an aggregation anything like the one that faced the Berkeley High School last Saturday for the State title, the L. A. A.C. men are going to have a test that will make or mar them for the big game next Wednesday.

Up to the present time the club has been playing rather easy teams and for this reason, Capt. Mow Mitchell is anxious to send his men through at least one hard scrimmage before the final game of the season. After this game he will make the final selections and the club team will be chosen according to the showings made by the men used in the game with the High School.

NEW BERTH FOR "DAD."

It is reported that Dad Moulton, the veteran trainer who has been training Stanford athletes for the past decade, will have charge of the track squad at Santa Clara College next spring.

Last Chance.

GAME READY FOR L.A.A.C. MEN.

Trojan Rugby Team in Shape for Christmas Game.

Contest Will Be Final One of Football Season.

Fine Battle Should Result as Squads Are Equal.

BY OWEN R. BIRD.

As the time draws near for the final football game of the season between the Los Angeles Athletic Club and the University of Southern California on Christmas Day, interest in football circles is increasing. It will be the first big game played by the team organized at the club, while it will be the last chance for the Trojans this season.

The varsity has been suffering from some rather biting criticism this fall because it has not won a game. However, these "knocks" come from unknowing sources, as the Trojans have been up against terrific odds in every game.

All the teams that were brought south this fall were composed of veterans, who have been playing the English game from five to seven years, and it is little wonder that the teams of this nature should know more Rugby than the local squad, which has only been in the Rugby field for two seasons.

CLUB HAS EDGE.

The odds in the coming game will not be so great, though the club team is composed almost entirely of former California and Stanford stars, who know the finer points of the game, but who have not been in training as a team, as long as have the Trojans. While it might be said that the U.S.C. squad has found itself and gone from a studied defense to a slashing offense, I would say that if Manning's men put up the same brand of ball on Christmas, as was played by them on Thanksgiving, the L.A.A.C. veteran stars are going to have one of the grandest arguments in the world and some very thrilling Rugby should be played.

OFFENSE TO BE STRONG.

I have said before that the club men work on the theory that the best defense is a good offense, but when you have two teams working along the same lines, what will the harvest be?

The Trojans have found out that defensive Rugby may hold down an opponent's score, but will never win a game, so Manning has at last inoculated his men with the dash of the open game. They have found out that they can make pretty passing rushes and gain ground just like any other aggregation and this style of game opens up the sport and makes it worth while.

KEEN RIVALRY.

The spirit of rivalry between the two teams is even more keen than if the club squad was representing one of the northern universities, owing to the fact that both aggregations will draw their supporters from local circles. The L.A.A.C. team is made up of former Stanford and California men, but nearly every one claims Los Angeles as his home town. The members of the club are taking a great interest in the welfare of the football team, so the men in blue should have a goodly bunch of rooters when the whistle blows.

TROJANS DESERVE SUPPORT.

Of course the Trojans will have the U.S.C. student body behind them and if ever a team was deserving of strong unqualified support, it is these same Trojans. For two years the squad has been fighting uphill battles against more experienced teams, but learning Rugby all the time. It is a tough row to hoe, but there never was anything easy for pioneers and this instance is no exception.

Before taking up the English game there were no better football teams in the country than at the University and with this same material learning Rugby there should be no reason why the teams in the future should not be as good, in the new sport, as were the old teams at the American game. The U.S.C. team expects to enter this game at full strength and in better physical condition than before any game this season.

TEAMS EVENLY MATCHED.

It would be a hard matter to definitely compare the two teams and get accurate results, owing to the fact that the club team has not yet played any of the big teams in the State. The aggregation has twice played the U.S.C. second team and won in each case, though the victory in the first game was a better one than in the last, when the club stars had the time of their lives nosing out the Trojan scrubs by the score of 6 to 3.

The L.A.A.C. backfield looks faster and better than the U.S.C. backfield, but the U.S.C. forwards have a nice edge on the clubmen. The Trojan scrum is a famous organization and has fought its way through two seasons, bearing most of the burden of battle.

The U.S.C. backs have been improving of late and may surprise in this game, while L.A.A.C. forwards have been working hard for the past week and have been showing marked class in dribbling. Taking all these factors into consideration, the teams are very evenly balanced, but the L.A.A.C. squad has the more experienced players.

HARRIMAN'S SON IS HEAD COACH.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW HAVEN, (Ct.) Dec. 18.—The resignation of James Rodgers, as chief coach of the Yale crew, has left Averill Harriman, the 20-year-old son of the late E. H. Harriman, at the head of the coaching system. This is the first time a Yale undergraduate has acted as head coach since the days of Bob Cook, back in 1874.

Young Harriman last year coached the freshman eight, the only Yale crew to capture an event on the Thames last June, and as a reward was appointed chief lieutenant to Rodgers.

He has made a careful study of English methods and styles of rowing and will endeavor to put them in practice here. Last spring he went to England and remained for three weeks in the camps of the Oxford and Cambridge oarsmen when they were preparing for their annual regatta. He may visit England again this winter.

WESTERN A.C. TO BRANCH OUT IN AMATEUR FIELD.

The Western Athletic Club is about to branch out on an active athletic campaign, which will cover all the fields of amateur sport. Yesterday Bill Hart, manager of the club, made regular application to the local branch of the Amateur Athletic Union for membership and the club will be admitted at the next monthly meeting.

During the past three months this new organization has been growing steadily and is now ready to put teams in the field in every line. There will be a baseball team this spring, and also a fairly good track team entered in the A.A.U. championships. Manager Hart is going to stimulate interest in handball and will hold a city championship tournament on the western courts some time during January.

Boxing, swimming, wrestling and gym teams are now being organized with good men in every squad. The club should be encouraged in this stand, as it means that the ranks of amateur athletics are to receive another valuable member.

BIG LEAGUE DATES.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] April 10 will be the opening day in both the American and National leagues, President Johnson of the former organization, has announced. The season will close on October 4, in the East, and October 5, in the West. Schedules for both leagues will be drawn up at a meeting at French Lick Springs, January 2.

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Stars in Religious Dramas Next Week.

Louise Huff, an exquisite blonde, who has identified herself with the fascinating role of Tirzah in "Ben Hur," which will be the Christmas week attraction at the Mason and, below, Lucretia del Valle, who will be the Senora Josefa Yorba in this season's run of John S. McGroarty's mission play which opens December 23 at San Gabriel. She is the daughter of the Hon. R. F. del Valle of this city, whose family has been identified with California for more than four generations. It is quite fitting that she should be cast for the role of a devout Spanish woman. She will bring to the part the atmosphere of the people who first settled in California. With an inheritance of romance through her ancestry she should give a living impersonation of a woman of the period in which the third act is set. Her successes in the past promise a true-to-the-life portrayal of this character.

Worth the Hour.

RELIGION NOTE OF DRAMA.

WONDERFUL SUCCESS OF PLAYS IN WHICH BIBLE DOMINATES.

Dealing Authors Have Presented Christ in Person—One Commits Suicide—Early Christian Days Afford Splendid Opportunity for Spectacular Productions.

The drama of the English stage had its roots in the mysteries and moralities presented by the various orders of the priesthood and the English church in the medieval days. And the strain of religion which filled the productions of the old monks has come down to the present time and can be found in the productions that have had the greatest triumphs of modern days.

The shining example of this same religious drama is found in Gen. Lew Wallace's "Ben Hur," a drama that has drawn more people into the theater who never set foot inside a playhouse than any other production ever seen on the stage, and the performances of "Ben Hur" have sent these non-theatergoers to their homes with new ideas and broader views of the stage and its work.

Plays dealing with the beginning of Christianity have been especially popular with the theatergoing public because of the picturesqueness and beauty of the time in which they are set and of the heroic quality of the men and women who first sought salvation in the tenets of Christianity.

The period was that of Rome's greatest splendor when she was mistress of the world and her strong arm extended from Britain on the north throughout the entire length and breadth of Europe and into India on the south. The magnificence and wealth of the Romans, pilfered from conquered nations, was used to make the lives of the conquerors one long feast of luxury. And this magnificence and luxury form a splendid background against which to show the self-abnegation, the humility and strength of the early Christians.

SOME NOTED PLAYS.

In the last twenty years there have been a number of remarkable productions made of plays which give pictorial expression to this period. The various dramatizations of Sienkiwicz's "Quo Vadis" earned enormous fortunes for their producers twelve or fourteen years ago. This drama showed the luxury and the immorality of Nero's court in contrast with the simple beauty and the austere life of the converts to the Christian religion, which extended to the sacrifice, and the willing sacrifice, of life itself.

Preceding "Quo Vadis" by some five or six years was Wilson Barrett's drama, "The Sign of the Cross," which had its first production in St. Louis during one of Mr. Barrett's American tours, but which was not generally seen until after its long run in London and its subsequent return to America, where it was toured for eight or ten years with unvarying success.

"The Sign of the Cross" told this story of a Roman voluptuary, Marcus Superbus, whose bad morals and vicious life were brought to a terminus by the purity and beauty of a Christian girl who conquers Marcus and leads him with her into the arena to suffer martyrdom for the cause of the Christ.

Mary Magdalene, the scarlet woman of the gospels, has been shown as the heroine in three poetic plays seen in America within the last decade, each by a master poet. These plays are "Mary of Magdala," by Paul Heyse, in which Mrs. Fiske and Tyrone Power, as Mary of Magdala, and Judas Iscariot, created a profound impression; Maurice Maeterlinck's "Mary Magdalene," which Olga Nethersole presented at the New Theater three years ago, and "La Samaritaine," which Edmond Rostand wrote for Sarah Bernhardt, and which she made one of the principal features of her recent farewell tour of America.

SHOWING THE SAVIOR.

In two of these plays, that by Maeterlinck and in that by Rostand, the Savior was absolutely represented. In the first play, "Mary Magdalene," He did not physically show, but His voice was heard off the stage speaking the words of forgiveness and hope to the penitent.

In "La Samaritaine" the figure of the Saviour was brought into actual representation, and it was for this reason representations of the play were prohibited in several of the cities visited by Mme. Bernhardt. On one other occasion in the history of the theater in America the figure of the Christ has been used in actual representation; in Salmi Morse's "The Passion Play," produced in San Francisco thirty-odd years ago, with James O'Neill impersonating the Saviour. After two days' representation in San Francisco the performances were stopped by the authorities as blasphemous, but Morse did not despair, and came to New York with his play.

He interested certain wealthy men in the project and a temple was built on West Twenty-third street to house the production, but on the night set for its first performance the Mayor and police department of New York forbade the performance, and in the desert with the Three Wise Men waiting for the signal which is to lead them to the new born King of Kings, and presently their watch is rewarded when the Star of Bethlehem flashes out in refulgent splendor and serves them as a guide.

REGARDING "BEN HUR."

In "Ben Hur" the religious note is struck at the rise of the curtain, which goes up disclosing the scene in Throughout the play, the struggle of Roman and Pharisee and Sadducee for mastery in the land of Palestine is disturbed by rumors and stories of the miracles wrought by the Man of Galilee, the simple Nazarene who was to revolutionize the world.

In the last scene of all where the waiting throng on the Mount of Olives at the gate of Jerusalem watches for the coming of the Christ with waving palms and shouts, singing Hosannas and Psalms, the supreme moment of the Ineffable Presence is indicated by a shaft of light which falls athwart the multitude in the form of a cross, and on this inspired picture the curtain falls.

In the new production of "Ben Hur," which Klaw & Erlanger are presenting this season, the religious element and the beauty and august solemnity of this final scene have been emphasized even more than in former productions. Straight from the footlights to the very dome of the stage runs the hillside on which the motley garbed horde waits for the coming of the Christ. A magnificent choir of a hundred voices under the direction of the distinguished grand opera conductor, Gustav Hinrichs, from the Metropolitan Operahouse, New York, is employed to sing Edgar Stillman Kelley's music which in this scene reaches positive inspiration, and hundreds of supernumeraries, skilled and thoroughly rehearsed, fill the scene with animation and actuality. It is looked upon as the most magnificent stage pageant that has ever been shown in the American theater.

UP AND DOWN BROADWAY.

LEWIS WALLER, who in connection with the Messrs. Shubert will present the London and New York success, "A Butterfly on the Wheel," at the Majestic Theater beginning Sunday evening, is recognized and considered the foremost English-speaking romantic actor and has acquired a number of very curious and valuable costumes.

As many of his great successes have been achieved in so-called "costume dramas," he has had reason to obtain garments showing how men clad themselves at different periods of English history.

The most valuable of all these garments is a coat which he wears in the third act of "Monsieur Beaucaire" when he finally and publicly introduces himself as the Duke of Orleans, the cousin of the King of France, the possessor of vast estates and titles too numerous to mention. The coat is of blue brocade and is covered with gold lace and ribbons of real bullion.

The original price of the coat can be authentically proved to be 250 pounds, or $1250. It was first worn at the Diamond Jubilee dinner in 1897, given by the Duchess of Devonshire. The proud possessor of the coat at that time was the Earl of Shrewsbury, who had it especially made for the occasion. The coat fell into Mr. Waller's hands several years ago and he regards it as the most precious of his costume possessions.

It might be interesting to theatergoers of Los Angeles to know that Lewis Waller enjoys the unique distinction of having appeared before English royalty by "command" ap-

lie Ritchie's contract, and also that of Jimmy Britt, who is following close on the heels of Corbett.

By annexing Luther McCarty to this trio Mr. Considine might put the four together and offer the famous "Strong-Arm Quartette."

Walker Whiteside, who in comparatively few years has risen to occupy a position among the foremost stars of the native stage, will soon be seen here in his recent success, "The Typhoon."

"The Typhoon" has proved one of the most widely-discussed plays in many years, while many of the foremost dramatic writers of America have compared his characterization of the Japanese spy, "Takimoro," most favorably with Richard Mansfield's "Baron Chevrial."

Whiteside will open his first engagement on the Pacific Coast at the Cort Theater next Sunday night, and will be seen here at the Majestic Theater two weeks hence.

Winnie Baldwin, a little Los Angeles girl, who may be remembered for her appearances on the local stages, is one of the biggest favorites among the stage stars of San Francisco today.

Miss Baldwin joined the Keith and Dill company soon after they left Los Angeles and has been playing many of the most important roles in their productions since.

Those who believe that the day of the matinee idol is over should journey down to the Lyceum stage entrance and talk it over with Hirshall Mayall.

Since coming to Los Angeles two weeks ago to become leading man of the Lyceum organization, Mayall has received over two dozen letters from unknown admirers, and yesterday afternoon received a highly-perfumed note from a lady "in pink," as she described herself, inclosing an invitation to dinner.

And still they say the matinee idol does not exist.

May it be known that Mr. Mayall, while considered one of the most successful of stock leading men, has also been equally successful as a matinee idol.

The first rehearsals for "The Fortune Hunter," the play selected by Oliver Morosco to open the new Morosco Theater one week from next Monday night, will begin on the stage of the Majestic Theater this morning.

Three new members of the Morosco company who have not yet been announced are expected to arrive in Los Angeles from New York over the Salt Lake this morning.

None of the names of the new players have yet been made known but it is safe to predict that Manager Morosco will have the finest stock organization in America, when he has completed his selection of players.

Henry W. Savage's production of "Excuse Me" is soon due for a return visit at the Majestic Theater. This Rupert Hughes farce, it will be remembered, was one of the really big hits of the Majestic season just closed.

The estimate for the building of the costumes for the production of Frank Baum and Louis Gottschalk's musical play "The Tik-Tok Man" was received at the Morosco offices yesterday and revealed the startling figure of $15,000 for the costuming of the piece alone.

While "The Tik-Tok Man" was scheduled to be seen for the first time at the Majestic Theater the first week in February, it will not be given until early in May, owing to the fact that the time required for the building of costumes, properties and the enormous production, much of which will be trick scenery, will not permit of a production before that time.

Frances Bryson, a clever little actress who recently appeared in several of the Belasco productions, has been engaged by Manager Dick Ferris at the Lyceum Theater and will make her first appearance with this organization next Sunday afternoon, in one of the important roles in Hal Reid's famous melodrama "The Night Before Christmas."

Their Slogan.

TO BUCK FOR SWEET CHARITY.

BIG RODEO PLANNED TO BE TAG DAY SUCCESSOR.

Associated Charities to Be Recipients of First Fifteen Per Cent. of Gross Receipts—Rain Spoiled Last Year's Event—Prospects for This Year Brighter.

"Buck for sweet charity" will be the slogan of a big cowboy tournament to be given in Los Angeles in February. Contracts were closed yesterday by Dick Ferris.

This will take the place of Tag Day as a means of raising money for the Associated Charities.

The cowpunchers' show is the same one that Theodore Roosevelt came from Washington to Cheyenne to see while he was President. A rather forlorn attempt was made to give the show here last year, but it rained from the day the show opened until it closed, and it proved, for that reason, an utter failure.

The promoters lost so much money that Dick had a hard time persuading them to come down again this year.

It is not a hippodrome, or an ordinary "Wild West" circus show, but a genuine tournament in which big money prizes are offered for the best riding and bronco-busting and steer-roping. Last year the show brought out cowpunchers from most of the famous cattle ranches in the West, and the feats of daring horsemanship were wonderful. This year, Ferris will go after entries all through Arizona and New Mexico. He will also bring back the outlaw "Cyclone," who threw nearly every vaquero who tried to mount him.

The show this year will be moved from Baldwin's ranch to the motorcycle stadium, which will be within a short distance of the heart of the city and within the 5-cent car fare limit.

The Associated Charities will receive 15 per cent. of the gross receipts. The Rodeo company will spend $20,000 to bring down the show, and the stadium management has agreed to spend $10,000 in advertising, the cost to the Associated Charities being nothing.

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Now that all of the title holders of the prize ring are deserting the gloves for the footlights, what's the matter with Luther McCarty?

Three days before the Ritchie-Welgast fight in San Francisco Billy Nolan had a nice little twenty weeks' contract safely tucked away in his inside pocket, with the result that the minute the battle was over Willie threw up his hands and said no more for me for the next twenty minutes.

It is no secret that a certain vaudeville manager has been camping on the trail of McCarty ever since the Flynn fight trying to induce him to accept a contract, but McCarty steadfastly refuses until after his coming battle with Palzer, after which there is every reason to believe he will hike to the footlights with his Wild West act.

Speaking of the stars of the ring reminds one of the fact that James J. Corbett will soon be in our midst. Corbett is now appearing on the Sullivan & Considine circuit in Seattle. This circuit, it is also known, holds Wi-

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Brush — $515; DETROITER, $1000; KOEHLER, wagon, $850. 1312 S. Grand. 22299; Broadway 3132.

Cartercar — VERNON DRIVE. VANCE-CANAVAN MOTOR COMPANY

Case — VANCE-CANAVAN MOTOR CO.

Chanslor & Lyon — SUPPLIES.

Empire Tires — WEAR LONGER.

Fiat — THE WORLD-FAMOUS CAR PACIFIC COAST MOTOR CAR COMPANY

Goodyear — COAT COMPANY Headquarters for AUTO COATS, CAPS and GLOVES.

King "36" — WITH A THOUSAND LESS PARTS

Knox — Pleasure Cars—Four and Six Cylinder. Distributors Southern California and Arizona.

Locomobile Co. of America

Marion — CROWE AUTOMOBILE CO.

Metz "22" — 4-Cylinder, 1912 Roadster. LOWN MOTOR CAR COMPANY.

Michigan 40 — 40-H.P. Touring Car.

Miller — QUALITY TIRES.

Moline — Pacific Coast Branch.

Moon — BUXTON & CHILDS

Moore — F. L. MOORE, MOTOR TRUCK

Moreland — DISTILLATE MOTOR TRUCKS

Paige — MOTOR CARS CARPENTER MOTOR SALES CO.

Pathfinder 40 — Main 3084

Pratt "40" — PRATT MOTOR CAR COMPANY

Rambler — Have you seen the 1913 Motor? THE W. K. COWAN CO.

Simplex & Mercer

Standard Electrique

Stevens Duryea

Studebaker "30"

Wichita Trucks

Business:

THE WEATHER.

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Dec. 18.—[Reported by Fred A. Chesshire, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the thermometer registered 38.32; at 5 p.m. 59.32. Temperature for the corresponding hours observed 24 days, and 56 past. Relative humidity 5 a.m., 49 per cent.; 5 p.m., 31 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., north, velocity 4 miles; 5 p.m., northwest, velocity 9 miles. Highest temperature, 62 deg.; lowest, 42 deg. Rainfall in past 24 hours, .04 of an inch. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—The depression which entered the Mississippi Valley Tuesday morning has moved northeastward and is now central over Lake Superior. Heavy snow and brisk gales prevail in Wisconsin, Minnesota and Michigan, reports from St. Paul and Duluth telling of wire troubles. Rain fell generally east of the Mississippi River, the greatest amount (.58 of an inch) falling at Knoxville, Tenn. Fair weather prevails south of Kansas and Colorado and cooler weather with forty-two miles per hour northwesterly gales the night. The Pacific high area has moved south of Oregon and west of Northern California, this distribution of pressure giving generally increased temperatures in Southern California, and will insure continued fair weather for Los Angeles and vicinity Thursday.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.

	Max.	Min.	Rain.
Dallas	62	36	.00
Chattanooga	62	44	.00
Pittsburgh	48	44	.00
Chicago	36	34	.00
St. Louis	54	37	.00
Los Angeles	62	42	.00
New York	52	44	.00
Buffalo	42	44	.00
St. Paul	38		.00
Kansas City	34	28	.00
Jacksonville	72	54	.00
Galveston	66	54	.00

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair Thursday; northerly winds.

For California south of the Tehachapi: Fair Thursday.

NORTHERN FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—Forecast: For San Francisco and vicinity: Fair Thursday; light north wind.

For Sacramento Valley: Fair Thursday; light north wind.

For San Joaquin Valley: Fair Thursday; light and wind.

For Northern California: Fair Thursday; moderate winds; light east wind, changing to southerly.

For Nevada: Fair Thursday and Friday.

SAN DIEGO (Ariz.) Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 18.50 feet.

SHIPPING.

REDONDO BEACH.

ARRIVED—WEDNESDAY, DEC. 18.

Steamer Santa, Capt. Self, from San Pedro.

Steamer F. S. Loop, Capt. Lancaster, from San Francisco.

Steamer Maylair, Capt. Fantana, from Gray's Harbor.

SAILED—WEDNESDAY, DEC. 18.

Steamer Santa, Capt. Self, for San Pedro.

Steamer Santa Barbara, Capt. Hansberg, for San Francisco.

IN PORT.

Steamer F. S. Loop, wharf No. 2.

Steamer Maylair, wharf No. 2.

SAILING FOR THIS PORT.

Steamer Willapa, Willapa Harbor.

Steamer Homer, Gray's Harbor.

Steamer Saginaw, Gray's Harbor.

SCHEDULE OF ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES OF PASSENGER VESSELS.

TODAY, Dec. 19.—Steamship State of California, from San Francisco, 10 a.m. Pacific Coast Steamship Company.

FOR TOMORROW, Dec. 20.—Steamship Yale, for San Francisco, 10 a.m. Pacific Coast Steamship Company.

PORT JEFFERSON.

The steamer Iaqua arrived today from San Pedro with 30,000 feet of lumber for Jefferson and sailed for San Francisco.

The steamer F. S. Loop arrived today from Eureka with 500,000 feet of lumber for Jefferson and is discharging at wharf No. 2.

The steamer Santa Barbara sailed today for San Francisco after unloading her cargo.

The steamer Maylair brought 600,000 feet of lumber from Gray's Harbor for local dealers.

Shares and Money.

READING AGAIN TAKES A JUMP.

BURST OF EXCITED BIDDING ON STOCK MARKET.

Rate of Increase of Quarterly Dividend from Philadelphia Lethargy of Buyers and Other Stocks Show Correspondingly Activity.

N. Y. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—An outburst of excitement attended activity toward the close of the stock market today. After a dull and colorless session, during which prices from Philadelphia of the quarterly dividend of from 75 cents to $1 on the common stock of the Reading and from Lehigh Valley and a point above yesterday's close, the closing hour developed heavy offerings of Reading, a number of leading issues and the day's transactions were transformed into a scramble to procure a holding and prices moved hastily upward. The gains were slightly heavier than yesterday's, and declined to on call.

New York Stocks.

[Reported by Logan & Bryan, Members New York Stock Exchange, Hotel Alexandria.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive to The Times and low quotations today:

	High.	Low.	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Copper	71	70	70	70
American Beet Sugar	34	33	33	33
American Can	23	22	22	22
American Car & Foundry	49	48	48	48
American Cotton Oil	49	48	48	48
American Ice Securities	23	22	22	22
American Linseed	14	13	13	13
American Smelting & Refining	73	72	72	72
American Sugar Refining	118	117	117	117
American Tobacco	237	235	235	235
Anaconda Mining Co.	44	43	43	43
Atchison	101	100	100	100
Atlantic Coast Line	118	117	117	117
Baltimore & Ohio	97	96	96	96
Canadian Pacific	247	245	245	245
Central Leather	28	27	27	27
Chesapeake & Ohio	69	68	68	68
Chicago & Great Western	16	15	15	15
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul	107	106	106	106
Colorado Fuel & Iron	36	35	35	35
Colorado & Southern	38	37	37	37
Delaware & Hudson	175	174	174	174
Denver & Rio Grande	20	19	19	19
Distillers' Securities	29	28	28	28
Erie	31	30	30	30
Erie 1st Consolidated	51	50	50	50
General Electric	164	163	163	163
Great Northern Pfd.	131	130	130	130
Great Northern Ore Ctfs.	43	42	42	42
Illinois Central	127	126	126	126
Interborough-Met.	19	18	18	18

Business: Shipping, Mines and Stocks.

THE WEATHER.

OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Dec. 18.—[Reported by [illegible], Local Forecaster.] At 5 [illegible] the barometer registered 30.11; at [illegible]. Thermometer for the corresponding [illegible] 58 deg. and 59 deg. Relative [illegible] a.m., 40 per cent.; 5 p.m., 31 per [cent. Wind] 5 a.m., north, velocity 4 miles; 5 [p.m., illegible], velocity 5 miles. Highest [illegible] deg.; lowest, 55 deg. Rainfall [illegible] of an inch. Barometer reduced [illegible].

CONDITIONS.—The depression [illegible] the Mississippi Valley Tuesday [illegible] and is now central over [illegible]. Heavy snow and brisk winds [illegible] Wisconsin, Minnesota and Michigan [illegible] St. Paul are missing on [illegible] wire trouble. Rain fell generally [illegible] Mississippi River, the greatest [illegible] of an inch) falling at Knoxville. [illegible] of considerable depth entered [illegible] and caused high winds at [illegible] miles per hour occurring dur[ing illegible]. The Pacific high area occupies [illegible] of Oregon and west of Ne[vada illegible] the distribution of pressure giving [illegible] temperature in Southern [California illegible] and will insure continued fair [weather] for Los Angeles and vicinity Thursday.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.

	Max.	Min.	Mean.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

LOCAL FORECAST.

[For] Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair Thursday; [illegible] winds.

[For] [illegible] south of the Tehachapi: Fair [illegible].

NORTHERN FORECAST.

[SAN FRAN]CISCO, Dec. 18.—Forecast:

[San Francisco] and vicinity: Fair Thursday; [illegible].

[Sacramento] Valley: Fair Thursday; light [illegible].

[San Joaquin] Valley: Fair Thursday; light [illegible].

[Santa Clara] Valley: Fair Thursday; light [illegible].

[Coast, north of] California: Fair Thursday; under[illegible]; light east wind, changing to [illegible].

[illegible] Thursday and Friday.

[illegible] Dec. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch [to The Times from the] U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge [illegible] River, 12.50 feet.

SHIPPING.

REDONDO BEACH.

[ARRIVED]—WEDNESDAY, DEC. 18.

[illegible], Capt. Self, from San Pedro.

[Str.] F. A. Loop, Capt. Lancaster, from [illegible].

[illegible], Capt. Paulsen, from Gray's [Harbor].

[SAILED]—WEDNESDAY, DEC. 18.

[illegible], Capt. Self, for San Fran[cisco].

[illegible], Capt. Zaddart, for [illegible].

IN PORT.

[Str.] F. A. Loop, wharf No. 2.

[illegible], wharf No. 1.

SAILING FOR THIS PORT.

[illegible], Willapa Harbor.

[illegible], Gray's Harbor.

[illegible], Gray's Harbor.

[SCHEDULE] OF ARRIVALS AND DEPAR[TURES] OF PASSENGER VESSELS.

[illegible] steamship State of California [illegible] San Francisco [illegible] San Diego [illegible].

PORT ITEMS.

[illegible] arrived today from San [illegible] feet of lumber for various [illegible] for San Francisco.

[Str.] F. A. Loop arrived today from [illegible] feet of lumber for local [illegible] at wharf No. 2. [illegible] Santa Barbara sailed today for [illegible] after unloading her cargo. [illegible] brought 600,000 feet of [lumber from] Gray's Harbor for local dealers.

Stocks and Money.

[RE]ADING AGAIN TAKES A JUMP.

[BURST] OF EXCITED BIDDING [IN] STOCK MARKET.

[Rumors of] Increase of Quarterly [Dividend] from Philadelphia [illegible] Lethargy of Buyers and [illegible] Show Correspond[ingly].

[BY DIRECT] WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

[NEW YORK], Dec. 18.—An outburst of ex[cited buying] stirred the stock market to[illegible] activity toward the close of [a dull and colorless] session. [illegible] from Philadelphia of the [illegible] quarterly dividend from 1½ [illegible] Reading soared swiftly to [illegible] sold off again and closed [illegible] on the day. Other stocks [illegible] rise in Reading and Union [Pacific], Lehigh Valley and [illegible] above yesterday's close. [illegible] heavy offerings [illegible] a number of leading issues [illegible] yesterday's final quota[tions illegible] Reading dividend in[crease illegible] as a surprise. [illegible] Reading has been the [illegible] the prominent stocks, [illegible] yesterday's close. [illegible] the day's business was trans[acted illegible]. Although the mar[ket illegible] to pressure, bear [illegible] willing to venture upon [illegible] and prices moved back [illegible] with a heavy [illegible] slightly lower on [illegible]. Total sales, par value, [illegible] declined ⅛ on call.

New York Stocks.

[Furnished by] Logan & Bryan, Members New [York and Boston Stock] Exchanges, Bradbury [building, Los Angeles.]

[NEW YORK], Dec. 18.—[Exclusive to The Times.] Following were the closing prices [illegible] quotations today:

Sales.	Stock.	High.	Low.	Bid.	Ask.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
300	C. & N. W.	138¼	138	138¼	139
.....	C. & N. W. pfd.	.....	.....	180	190
1,600	C. M. & St. P.	111⅝	111	111¼	111⅜
300	Do. pfd	140	140	139	140
.....	C. C. C. & St. L.	.....	.....	65½	68
.....	Do. pfd	.....	.....	95	[illegible]
600	Colo. Fuel & Iron	33⅝	33	33	33¼
.....	C. F. & I. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	Colo. Southern	.....	.....	32	34
.....	Colo. So. 1st pfd.	.....	.....	68	73
.....	Colo. So. 2nd pfd.	.....	.....	70	72
600	Consolidated Gas	138	137½	138¼	138½
600	Corn Products	13⅜	13⅛	13¼	14
.....	Do. pfd	.....	.....	75	76
400	Del. & Hudson	163	162	162½	165
100	D. L. & W.	537	537	535	540
.....	D. & R. G.	.....	.....	20	20½
.....	D. & R. G. pfd.	.....	.....	37	39
1,100	Distilling Sec.	22⅝	22¼	22¼	22½
.....	D. S. S. & A.	.....	.....	8	9
.....	D. S. S. & A. pfd.	.....	.....	14	15
6,300	Erie	31⅜	30¾	30⅞	31
200	Erie 1st pfd.	49⅞	48⅜	48¾	49
200	Erie 2nd pfd.	39⅝	39¼	39	39½
1,000	Gen. Electric	181¾	181	180¾	181½
2,100	Gt. Northern pfd.	134¼	133	133	133½
.....	Gt. No. Ore Ctfs	.....	.....	41	41½
400	Illinois Central	126¾	126	126	127
400	Int'l Harv. Co.	109	109	107½	109¼
.....	Int'l Harv. pfd.	.....	.....	113½	114
100	Int'l Paper	12	12	11¾	12
300	Int'l Paper pfd.	48⅜	48	48	48½
.....	Int'l Pump	.....	.....	19	22
.....	Int'l Pump pfd.	.....	.....	78	81
.....	Iowa Central	.....	.....	10	12
.....	Iowa Central pfd.	.....	.....	21	24
.....	K. C. Southern	.....	.....	25½	26
.....	K. C. So. pfd.	.....	.....	59	60
1,000	L. & N.	139⅞	139	138½	139¼
.....	Laclede Gas com.	.....	.....	103½	105
18,200	Lehigh Valley	171	168¾	169	169¼
.....	Manhattan	.....	.....	131	135
200	Inter-Met.	17⅞	17½	17½	17⅝
400	Inter-Met. pfd.	60	59¾	59½	60
.....	Mex. Central Ctfs.	.....	.....	25	27½
4,100	Mex. Petroleum	72	69¾	69¾	70
100	Mackay	82	82	80	84
.....	Mackay pfd	.....	.....	66½	67½
.....	Minn. & St. L.	.....	.....	23	24
.....	Do. 1st pfd.	.....	.....	45	47
200	M. St. P. & S.S.M.	136¾	135¾	134	135½
.....	Do. pfd	.....	.....	145	150
.....	M., K. & Texas	.....	.....	25¾	26
.....	M., K. & T. pfd.	.....	.....	60	62
1,700	Missouri Pacific	41⅝	41	41	41¼
.....	National Lead	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	Nat'l Lead pfd.	.....	.....	104	106¼
100	Nat'l Biscuit	120	120	119	120
.....	Nat'l Biscuit pfd.	.....	.....	125¼	126½
1,500	Nevada Con.	19½	19	18½	19
.....	N. Y. Air Brake	.....	.....	74	77
400	N. Y. Central	109	108½	108	108½
.....	N. Y. C. & St. L.	.....	.....	54	56
.....	Do. 1st pfd.	.....	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Do. 2nd pfd.	.....	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
200	N. Y. Ont. & W.	31⅞	31	31	31¼
600	Norfolk & W.	112	[illegible]	111⅞	112
.....	N. & W. pfd.	.....	.....	88	90
.....	North American	.....	.....	80	[illegible]
1,900	Northern Pacific	120¾	119⅝	119⅞	120
.....	Omaha	.....	.....	135	138
.....	Omaha pfd	.....	.....	150	160
100	Pacific Mail	29⅜	29⅜	28½	30
.....	Pac. Tel. & Tel.	.....	.....	44	45¾
.....	Pac. T. & T. pfd.	.....	.....	97½	101½
2,000	Penn. R. R. Co.	120⅞	120½	121	121½
100	People's Gas	111	111	110½	112
100	Pitts. Coal	21⅞	[illegible]	21½	22
600	Pitts. Coal pfd.	87⅜	87	86½	87
.....	Pressed Steel Car	.....	.....	34½	36
.....	P. Steel Car pfd.	.....	.....	[illegible]	101
.....	Pacific Coast	.....	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	P. C. C. & St. L.	.....	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Pullman	.....	.....	160½	161
100	Ry. Steel Springs	34	34	33	33¾
.....	Ry. Steel S. pfd.	.....	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
164,100	Reading	170	164⅜	168¾	169⅛
.....	Reading 1st pfd.	90⅞	90⅞	90	91
.....	Reading 2nd pfd.	.....	.....	92	95¼
.....	Republic I. & S.	25⅜	[illegible]	24	25½
.....	R. I. & S. pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]	85	[illegible]
.....	Rock Island	23⅝	[illegible]	23¼	23½
.....	Rock Island pfd.	43⅝	43	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Sloss S. S. & I.	.....	.....	44	46
.....	S. S. S. & I. pfd.	.....	.....	98	100
.....	St. L. & S. F. 1st pfd.	.....	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Do. 2nd pfd.	.....	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	St. L. & S. W.	.....	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Do. pfd	.....	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
2,700	Southern Pacific	107⅝	106¾	[illegible]	[illegible]
700	Southern Railway	27⅞	27	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Southern Ry. pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Third Ave. Ry.	.....	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
100	Tenn. Copper	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
200	Texas Pacific	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
200	T., St. L. & W.	11¼	11⅛	11⅛	[illegible]
.....	Do. pfd	.....	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Twin City R. T.	.....	.....	102	105
200	U. B. & P. Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	U. B. & P. pfd.	.....	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
28,400	Union Pacific	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Union Pacific pfd.	.....	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
2,100	Utah Copper	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
800	U. R. R. of S. F.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
400	Do. pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	U. S. C. Iron Pipe	.....	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	U. S. C. I. P. pfd.	.....	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
100	U. S. Express	67	67	[illegible]	[illegible]
300	U. S. Marine Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	U. S. Marine pfd.	.....	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
300	U. S. R. & Cons.	73	72¾	72	73
.....	U. S. R. & R. Co.	.....	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	U. S. R. & R. pfd.	.....	.....	[illegible]	[illegible]
4,300	U. S. Rubber	67	65⅜	65⅝	66
100	U. S. R. 1st pfd.	107⅜	107⅜	106¾	107¼
200	U. S. R. 2nd pfd.	79⅜	79¼	79	81
32,300	U. S. Steel Cor.	66⅞	65	65⅜	65½
.....	U. S. Steel pfd.	.....	.....	109	109½
100	Va. Car. Chem.	42	42	42	42¼
.....	Va. Car. C. pfd.	.....	.....	114	117
100	Va. Coal & Coke	57	57	56	60
.....	Wabash	.....	.....	3¾	4
.....	Wabash pfd	.....	.....	12½	13
.....	Wells-Fargo Ex.	.....	.....	124	130
100	Western Union	73½	73¼	73½	74
400	Westinghouse	77	76⅝	76¼	76¾
.....	Do. 1st pfd.	.....	.....	118	121½
1,500	Western Md. com.	47	46	45½	46¼
200	Western Md. pfd.	69½	69	67½	70
.....	W. & L. E.	.....	.....	7	8
.....	Do. 1st pfd.	.....	.....	19	20
200	Do. 2nd pfd.	11½	11¼	11	12
200	Wisconsin Central	49	49	48	50
1,000	Goldfield Cons.	2⅜	2	2	2¼
100	Jersey Central	360	360	350	380
1,400	Chino	42	41⅛	41⅜	41½
700	Ray Cons.	20¾	20⅜	20¼	20½
400	Miami	25⅛	25⅛	25	25¼
200	Texas Oil	108⅛	108⅛	107	108¼
.....	Guggenheim	.....	.....	49	49½
.....	St. L. & S. F. com.	.....	.....	19	20
200	Lorillard com.	204	203	[illegible]	202
.....	Lorillard pfd.	.....	.....	113	117
.....	Loose Wiles	.....	.....	37	38
.....	Loose Wiles pfd.	.....	.....	102⅜	103½
200	L. & M. com.	210	210	206	214
.....	L. & M. pfd.	.....	.....	110	115
600	Woolworth com.	106½	105⅜	105½	106
200	Woolworth pfd.	113⅞	113½	113½	114
.....	Inspiration	.....	.....	17½	17⅝
300	Goodrich Rubber	64⅜	64	64	65
.....	Do. pfd	.....	.....	105¼	106½
9,700	Cal. Petroleum	51⅜	49⅝	50⅝	50¾
200	Do. pfd	85⅜	85½	85	85¾
.....	Nat'l Enamel	.....	.....	17	19
.....	Nat'l Enamel pfd.	.....	.....	89	91½
.....	Am. Snuff	.....	.....	185	189
.....	Am. Snuff pfd.	.....	.....	101½	105
4,100	Am. Tobacco	272⅞	268	270	271
200	Sears Roebuck	203¼	202¾	201⅞	202½
100	Mex. Pet. pfd.	99	99	98	100
.....	Underwood com.	.....	.....	94½	100
.....	Underwood pfd.	.....	.....	112	114
500	N. Y., N. H. & H.	129	129	129	129¼

Total sales—499,700 shares.

Money opened at 5 per cent.; highest, 5 per cent.; lowest, 3½ per cent.; last loan, 4 per cent.; closed, 3½@4 per cent.; ruling rate, 4½ per cent.

METAL MARKETS

COPPER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Standard Copper, dull. Spot, 16.75; electrolytic, 17.62@17.87; Lake, 17.62@17.87; casting, 17.25@17.37.

LEAD.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Lead, easy. New York, 4.25@4.35.

SILVER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—[By A. P. Night Wire.] Bar silver, 63¼.

New York Bond List.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury building, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—[Exclusive to The Times.] Closing quotations on the bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.
Armour 4½s	90⅝	91
Am. Tel. & Tel. Conv. 4s	108	110
American Tobacco 4s	95	.....
American Tobacco 6s	120	.....
Atchison Gen. 4s	96⅝	97
Atchison Conv. 4s	105¼	106
Atchison Adj. 4s, stamped	87	87½
Atchison Conv. 5s	105¼	106
Atlantic Coast Line Cons. 4s	95	95½
Atl. C. L. (L. & N. Coll.) 4s	91	91½
Balt. & Ohio 3½s	90⅜	91
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 4s	88	88½
Can. So. 1st 5s, Ext.	100	100¼
C. & O. 4½s	[illegible]	99½
C. B. & Q. Gen. Mtg. 4s	[illegible]	92½
C. B. & Q. Joint 4s	[illegible]	95¼
C. B. & Q. Ill. 4s	97¾	98½
C. B. & Q. General 4s	[illegible]	95½
Central Pacific 1st 4s	94	94⅛
Chicago & E. Ill. 4s	[illegible]	79
C., R. I. & P. Ref. 4s	86½	87
C., R. I. & P. Col. Trust 4s	64	64½
Colo. & So. 1st 4s	92	92¾
Denver & Rio Grande 4s	87	87¾
Del. & Hudson Conv. 4s	96⅝	97
Erie 1st Con. P. L. 4s	86	86½
Inter-Met. 4½s	78⅝	78⅞
Japanese 4s	82	85
Japanese 1st 4½s	90¾	90¾
Japanese 2nd 4½s	89¾	.....
M. K. & T. 4½s	86	87
Missouri Pacific 4s	70	71
N. Y. Central 3½s	84¾	85
N. Y. Central L. S. 3½s	78	78½
N. Y. City 4½s of 1957	100¾	100¾
Norfolk & Western 4s	96	97
N. & W. Conv. 4s	111	112
N. Y., Ont. & W. 4s	88	[illegible]
Northern Pacific P. L. 4s	97¾	[illegible]
Northern Pacific 3s	67¾	[illegible]
Oregon Short Line 4s	92	[illegible]
Oregon Ry. & Nav. 4s	92	[illegible]
Reading Gen. 4s	95	[illegible]
Republic of Cuba 5s	101¾	[illegible]
Southern Pacific 1st Ref. 4s	92¾	[illegible]
Southern Ry. 5s	106	[illegible]
St. L. & S. F. Ref. 4s	76½	77
Union Pacific 1st 4s	96¾	[illegible]
Union Pacific Conv. 4s	96	97
Union Pacific Ref. 4s	93	[illegible]
U. S. Steel S. F. 5s	102¾	[illegible]
United States 2s reg.	100½	[illegible]
United States 2s coup.	[illegible]	[illegible]
United States 3s reg.	[illegible]	[illegible]
United States 3s coup.	[illegible]	[illegible]
United States 4s reg.	113½	114½
United States 4s coup.	113½	114½
U. R. R. of S. F. 4s	57	[illegible]
Wabash 1st 4s	[illegible]	[illegible]
Western Union 4½s	[illegible]	[illegible]
Westinghouse Conv. 5s	[illegible]	[illegible]
Western Pacific 5s	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wisconsin Central 4s	90	91
West Shore 4s	97½	98
California Gas 5s	96	96¾

New York Curb Stocks.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 113 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—During the early session the curb market was quiet and practically unchanged. Towards the close there was a slight rally, with Braden the principal feature. About [illegible] shares changed hands at 30 on what looked like good buying. The stock eased off at the close. Mason Valley was very quiet and the balance of the list showed no animation. The Boston coppers opened very quiet and with a somewhat easier tone. On the whole the Boston market is a dead, dull, drastically-liquidated affair and will await the action of New York before showing any concerted action. The close as a rule was below last night.

Following are the closing bid and asked prices:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Angle	[illegible]	[illegible]	McK. D.	[illegible]	2
Belmont	[illegible]	[illegible]	Mont. T.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Brad. Cop.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Miami	[illegible]	[illegible]
Brad. 6s	111	200	M. of A.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Brit. Col.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Mont. S.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chi. Sub.	[illegible]	[illegible]	N. Hills	1 5-16	1 7-16
Colorado	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nipissing	[illegible]	[illegible]
Con. Aris.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Pac. Gas &		
Davis D.	[illegible]	[illegible]	E. com.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dobie	[illegible]	[illegible]	Do. pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dolores	[illegible]	[illegible]	San Toy	[illegible]	[illegible]
El Rayo	[illegible]	[illegible]	Sioux Con.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ely Cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]	S.W. Miami	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ely Con.	[illegible]	[illegible]	So. Utah	[illegible]	[illegible]
El Paso	[illegible]	[illegible]	Stand. Oil	[illegible]	[illegible]
1st Nat.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Stewart	[illegible]	[illegible]
Fraction	[illegible]	[illegible]	Tonopah	[illegible]	[illegible]
Florence	[illegible]	[illegible]	Tri-Bull.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Giroux	[illegible]	[illegible]	Tuolumne	[illegible]	[illegible]
G.F. Daisy	[illegible]	[illegible]	United Cop.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Gold. B.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Do. pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Gr. Can.	[illegible]	[illegible]	U. S. Light	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hallinger	[illegible]	[illegible]	Yukon	[illegible]	[illegible]
Halifax	[illegible]	[illegible]	West. P.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Iron B.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Do. 5s	[illegible]	[illegible]
I. C. R.	[illegible]	[illegible]	W.P. com.	[illegible]	[illegible]
J. Butler	[illegible]	[illegible]	Do. pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Jumbo Ex.	[illegible]	[illegible]	W. End.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Kerr Lake	[illegible]	[illegible]	Wettlaufer	[illegible]	[illegible]
Keystone	[illegible]	[illegible]	Mizpah Ex.	[illegible]	[illegible]
La Rose	[illegible]	[illegible]	Tono. Ex.	[illegible]	[illegible]
L.V. Coal	[illegible]	[illegible]	B. N. Y.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mas. Val.	[illegible]	[illegible]	So. Cal.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mays Oil	[illegible]	[illegible]	Alaska	[illegible]	[illegible]
Tono. M.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Tob. Prod.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Man. Tr.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Do. pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Marconi	[illegible]	[illegible]			

Boston Copper Market.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury building, Los Angeles.]

BOSTON, Dec. 18.—The only excitement today was caused by sharp rally about 2 o'clock on the announcement of an increased dividend on Reading. Reading led the advance with a five-point rally, but in the last hour heavy selling was noticeable all around the room and the close showed lowest for the day. The action of the market was discouraging.

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Adventure	[illegible]	[illegible]	Mass. Cop.	[illegible]	5
Ahmeek	[illegible]	[illegible]	Mass. Electric com.	[illegible]	17
Allouez	[illegible]	[illegible]	Mass. Gas com.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Algomah	[illegible]	[illegible]	Do. pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Am. Pneumatic com.	[illegible]	4	Mayflower	[illegible]	[illegible]
Do. pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Miami	[illegible]	[illegible]
Am. Zinc	27	[illegible]	Michigan	[illegible]	[illegible]
Arcadian	[illegible]	[illegible]	McK. D.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ariz. Com.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Mohawk	[illegible]	[illegible]
Arnold	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nev. Cons.	[illegible]	[illegible]
B. & Gas.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nipissing	[illegible]	[illegible]
Baltic	[illegible]	[illegible]	N. Butte	[illegible]	[illegible]
B. & Ely	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nev. D.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Begole	[illegible]	[illegible]	N. Lake	[illegible]	[illegible]
Belmont	[illegible]	[illegible]	Ohio	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bohemia	[illegible]	[illegible]	Old Dom.	[illegible]	[illegible]
B. & Balk.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Old Colony	[illegible]	[illegible]
B. & L.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Osceola	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cactus	[illegible]	[illegible]	Quincy	[illegible]	[illegible]
Calaveras	[illegible]	[illegible]	Ray Cons.	[illegible]	[illegible]
C. & A.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Raven	[illegible]	[illegible]
Centennial	[illegible]	[illegible]	Santa Fe.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chief C.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Shannon	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chino	[illegible]	[illegible]	Shattuck	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cons. Ariz.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Sup. & G.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cop. Range	[illegible]	[illegible]	Sup. & B.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Daly W.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Sup. Cop.	[illegible]	[illegible]
East Butte	[illegible]	[illegible]	Swift P. Co.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ely Cons.	[illegible]	[illegible]	So. Lake	[illegible]	[illegible]
1st Nat.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Tamarack	[illegible]	[illegible]
C. & H.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Trinity	[illegible]	[illegible]
B. & Sup.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Tuolumne	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bingham	[illegible]	[illegible]	Utah Cons.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Corbin	[illegible]	[illegible]	U. S. M. & S. com.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Franklin	[illegible]	[illegible]	Do. pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Giroux	[illegible]	[illegible]	United Fr.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Granby	[illegible]	[illegible]	U. S. Shoe Mach. com.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Gr. Can.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Do. pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Gold. C.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Victoria	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hancock	[illegible]	[illegible]	Winona	[illegible]	[illegible]
Helvetia	[illegible]	[illegible]	Wolverine	[illegible]	[illegible]
Houghton	[illegible]	[illegible]	Wyandotte	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ills. Creek com.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Yukon	[illegible]	[illegible]
Indiana	[illegible]	[illegible]	Ojibway	[illegible]	[illegible]
Inspn.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Pond Cr.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Isle Royale	[illegible]	[illegible]	Alaska	[illegible]	[illegible]
Kerr Lake	[illegible]	[illegible]	Oneco	[illegible]	[illegible]
Keweenah	[illegible]	[illegible]	Stewart	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lake Cop.	[illegible]	[illegible]	S.W. Miami	[illegible]	[illegible]
La Salle	[illegible]	[illegible]			
Mas. Val.	[illegible]	[illegible]			

COPPER INDUSTRY.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 113 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

London copper opened firm, with spot £74 12s 6d, up 5s, and futures at £75 12s 6d, up 5s. London copper closed dull, spot at £74 7s 6d, off 5s, and futures at £75 10s, off 2s 6d.

Shattuck & Arizona Mining declared a dividend of 50 cents yesterday.

The demand for copper is exceedingly dull; large agencies continue to ask 17¾ cents for electrolytic, and the opinion among them is that the price is not likely to be reduced this year, even if consumers do not take a pound of metal between now and January 1.

Thompson, Towle & Co. say: "The increase of 9,419,095 pounds in surplus stocks of copper for December was generally under trade estimates, and was largely due to the reduced production. This reduction was not due to any restriction of output, because the reduction due to Mexican interruptions and strikes in Utah and Nevada will not show in the refinery output until the latter part of December and in January. The reduction in refinery output is due primarily to the fact that the refineries up to this month have been putting through an excessive amount of blister copper which accumulated during the refinery strikes last summer, when monthly production was averaging around 125,000,000 pounds, and one month as low as 122,000,000 pounds. Stocks in this country are now within 3,000,000 pounds of what they were January 1, when copper was selling at 14 cents, as against 17¾ cents now. Ordinarily this situation might justify a pessimistic view as to the future price of copper, were it not for the fact that Europe is down to bare boards, with total stocks abroad, including Hamburg and Rotterdam, of but 65,000,000 pounds, a decrease for the eleven months of this year of 58,000,000 pounds. European consumers are heavily booked with orders running over a large portion of next year, and the necessities of the foreign consumers places the American producer in a strong position, notwithstanding the fact that there has been only a hand-to-mouth demand during the past six or eight weeks, and the producing interests are not now sold very far ahead. There would appear to be no immediate decline in prices in sight therefore, unless the unexpected should happen, and developments take place which would seriously interfere with the consumption of the metal, such as a business restriction which would cause a heavy cancellation of orders in this country."

Hayden, Stone & Co. have just received a telegram from Daniel C. Jackling, who has just made an inspection of the Butte & Superior property. In brief, Mr. Jackling states that the new section of the mill was started four days ago, and Saturday was the first day's regular run. This section handled 600 tons. The assay result indicated 90 per cent recovery, which, is believed to be correct. Jackling states that he has no doubt this section will handle at least 750 tons, with the same result. He declares the arrangements and operation of this section are perfectly satisfactory in every way, so far as the regular concentrating part of the mill is concerned. The new section is known as No. 1. No. 2 section, which has been in operation during the construction of No. 1, will be shut down, and plans immediately made for remodeling along the lines of the first section, although actual work of construction will not be undertaken until Mr. Jackling returns from Alaska.

After waiting for two years stockholders of the South Utah have for the first time been apprised of the condition of their company—both as regards property and treasury, which is none too satisfactory. The company sold 3,355,714 pounds of copper during the year ended June 30 last, and produced 3,020,106 pounds. Up to June 30, 1911, the company operated at a loss of $57,346, while during the ensuing twelve months a further loss from operations of $31,114 resulted, a total loss of $118,354. In the entire period of operations—from September 1, 1910, to June 30, 1912—the total net cost of producing a pound of copper was 18¼ cents, after crediting .0167 cents to precious metals yields. Regarding ore reserves, General Manager Heidenreich says: "Owing to the fact that too much was expected of large caves on 600, 601 and 700 levels, the mine has little ore reserve developed. These caves at present contain about 300,000 tons of 1.6 per cent. ore, but the waste is mixing with this ore to such an extent as probably to cause the loss of the greater part of it. I believe we can recover from the old part of the mine above the 700 level about 100,000 tons, running 1 per cent. copper, or better, but the information regarding this ore is not definite enough to strictly classify it as an ore reserve." Net smelter returns from total operations up to the end of June showed 5,527,910 pounds of copper, 3450 ounces of gold, and 43,692 ounces of silver. Ratio of concentration was 13.51 per cent., and average mill recovery 59.09 per cent.

New York Cotton Market.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—The market received better support from the bull clique today. One of them stopped selling through other brokers as it did yesterday and Monday, and openly bought about 40,000 bales chiefly of March and May during the first hour through its regular brokers. Whether the decline of 30 points from the high level of 13 cents for May and March on Monday to the low of this morning, was considered by the leading bull interests as enough of a setback for the present and that the campaign is to be continued in an aggressive manner from this point or whether today's rally is merely of a forced character to bolster up southern spot markets so as to keep off actual holders from offering more freely and at the same time encourage the other bull cliques here to hold on to their cotton remains to be seen. The Census Bureau's ginning report to December 13, due to be announced before the opening of the market Friday is the principal factor of outside news which is being discussed at present. The bulls are predicting that it will surely show a ginning of 560,000 bales against 854,000 last year. The figures will undoubtedly confirm the government's crop estimate of 13,820,000 bales without linters, or the equivalent of 14,200,000 with them, as the crop reporting board of the agricultural bureau had the census bureau's ginning report up to December 1 before it, and estimates on the amount of cotton remaining to be ginned from that date before compiling the estimate. There is therefore no probability that estimate will turn out in excess of the actual yield as many affiliated with the bull cliques have been insisting since the day after its announcement a week ago Monday.

Following is range of quotations:

Option—	Open.	High.	Low.	Bid.	Ask.
January	12.61	12.79	12.60	12.78	12.79
February	.....	.....	.....	12.78	12.80
March	12.69	12.85	12.69	12.83	12.85
April	.....	.....	.....	12.83	.....
May	12.72	12.86	12.69	12.84	12.85
June	.....	.....	.....	12.79	12.81
July	12.64	12.80	12.62	12.79	12.80
August	12.55	12.60	12.55	12.59	12.60
September	12.04	12.04	12.04	12.09	12.11
October	11.82	11.97	11.82	11.96	11.97
December	12.58	12.75	12.55	12.75	.....

Middlings—13.10, unchanged.

THE TIMES CIRCULATION FOR NOVEMBER, 1912.

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Harry Chandler, Assistant General Manager of the Los Angeles Times, being duly sworn, declares upon his oath that the following is a true and correct office record of the daily circulation of said newspaper for the month of November, 1912.

NOVEMBER, 1912.		Copies.
November 1		[illegible]
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November 3	(Sunday)	[illegible]
November 4		[illegible]
November 5		[illegible]
November 6		[illegible]
November 7		[illegible]
November 8		[illegible]
November 9		[illegible]
November 10	(Sunday)	[illegible]
November 11		[illegible]
November 12		[illegible]
November 13		[illegible]
November 14		[illegible]
November 15		[illegible]
November 16		[illegible]
November 17	(Sunday)	[illegible]
November 18		[illegible]
November 19		[illegible]
November 20		[illegible]
November 21		[illegible]
November 22		[illegible]
November 23		[illegible]
November 24	(Sunday)	[illegible]
November 25		[illegible]
November 26		[illegible]
November 27		[illegible]
November 28		[illegible]
November 29		[illegible]
November 30		[illegible]

Daily average for every day of November ... 54,672

Sunday only, average for November ... 71,449

HARRY CHANDLER,
Assistant General Manager, The Times.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3d day of December, 1912.

[Seal] T. L. CHAPIN,
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A. L. DENNIS,
Superintendent of Circulation, The Times.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3d day of December, 1912.

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By C. Clerc, Secretary.

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December 17th, 1912.

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SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Snare & Triest were declared the lowest bidders yesterday on the construction of the concrete wharf at municipal dock No. 1, and the city will save about $50,000 by this re-advertisement for bids. The Harbor Advisory Board will meet this morning to act on the award.

The City Attorney yesterday gave the Civil Service Commission his opinion that Councilman Topham automatically invoked upon himself a fine of $100 each time he refused to answer the summons of the commission.

The Public Utilities Board notified the Los Angeles Railway Corporation yesterday that it must include provision for at least 150 more cars in its budget for the ensuing year, to be delivered as soon as possible, in order to relieve traffic congestion.

The Police Commission indicated yesterday that it will transfer two San Pedro saloons to the city if the saloon men themselves ask for such transfer. Otherwise there will be no haste in bringing the number of city saloons up to the full 200 allowed by ordinance.

At the City Hall.

TOPHAM'S ACT FINES HIMSELF.

COUNCILMAN MAY FORFEIT HIS THREE-MONTHS' PAY.

City Attorney Holds Refusal to Obey Subpoena of Civil Service Commission Automatically Invokes Imposition of Penalty and City Auditor May Withhold Salary.

The substance of an opinion given the Civil Service Commission by City Attorney Shenk in regard to the legal phases of the refusal of Councilman Topman to obey subpoenas issued by the commission in its recent investigations of charges made against it, is to the effect that Topham by his own action invokes the automatic imposition of a fine for each time he refused to obey the summons—in other words, the City Auditor can withhold Topham's salary warrants until sufficient amounts have been retained to meet the fines. This would require three months' salary of the Councilman.

The City Attorney points out to the Civil Service Commission that the above outlined procedure is provided for in Ordinance No. 9049, which was adopted in December of 1903, and a further ordinance that provides that no demands against the city shall be paid until all amounts due to the city from the person making the demand are paid.

This would mean that all the Civil Service Commission has to do is to notify the Auditor that Topham refused to obey its summons three times, and the Auditor must do the rest.

This situation was freely discussed at the City Hall yesterday, and various solutions were proposed. Among the possibilities is that the City Council may be asked to repeal the sections of the ordinances mentioned, or it may be asked to remit the fine, if a legal ground can be established for such action, which is considered improbable.

Topham takes the situation philosophically and declares he does not regret his action in refusing to obey the summons of the commission. He asserts that at least one of the subpoenas was irregular in form and service, and should the proposed punishment be carried through it is likely he will go to court.

WANT MORE CARS.

FOR TRAFFIC CONGESTION.

The Board of Public Utilities has sent to the Los Angeles Railway Corporation a letter setting forth its views on the need of more car equipment to meet the demands of traffic congestion on the street railways, and declaring that its study of the local situation shows that during the coming year there should be added to the car equipment at least seventy-five additional cars of the present seating capacity, and seventy-five cars to be used as trailers during the rush hours.

The board asks the railway corporation to state if there is any reason it should not order the corporation to include in its budget for increased investments for next year an item requiring the delivery of the cars mentioned as soon as possible, together with the attendant facilities of additional power, powerhouses, substation equipment, etc.

A statement was made by the Pacific Electric Company yesterday to the effect that equipment to the amount of $1,500,000 has been ordered and is due to arrive within the ensuing sixty days. This will include ten freight motors, one construction crane, sixty-five interurban type cars, thirty city type cars, ten center-entrance cars, a total of 105 cars and ten motors, besides other equipment. The officials of both companies admit that they are short of motive power, but this situation will be relieved when the Big Creek project for electrical power is completed early in the summer, and 120,000 horse power will be delivered to this city for the use of both concerns.

The Board of Public Utilities took up the proposed traffic regulation ordinance yesterday, which will aid in handling street car traffic in various ways, and adopted recommendations made by Traffic Squad Lieutenant Butler. The City Attorney is to prepare the ordinance so that it may be presented to the Council.

POLICE INSTRUCTED.

CAUTION WITH FIREARMS.

The acting Chief of Police filed with the Police Commission yesterday a copy of the instructions he has issued to patrolmen in regard to the use of firearms, which was called forth by the shooting, and killing of Elmer Finnegan.

In these instructions the officers are warned to be extremely careful in the discharge of revolvers when in pursuance of their duties, because of the great danger of wounding or killing some citizen whose arrest is not sought or some person who is accused of a crime, whom the officers are pursuing with intent to arrest, when subsequent investigation may show that such drastic measure was not justified.

"Officers should at all times remember," say the instructions, "that they are only justified on shooting at a person who refuses to halt upon command when the officer knows that a felony has been committed and he has reasonable cause to believe that the person whom he seeks to arrest, has committed a felony. Officers should diso remember the great danger of firing a shot in the air, for in the city of Los Angeles alone a number of persons have been killed or wounded by shots so fired."

A detailed report of the shooting of Finnegan was filed with the Police Commission, but no action was taken on it other than the order it filed.

LOWER BIDS.

CITY SAVES THOUSANDS.

The compilation of figures on the bids submitted for the construction of the concrete wharf at municipal dock No. 1, on the outer harbor, was sent to the Board of Public Works yesterday, and it shows that the city will save about $50,000 by the readvertising for bids.

Snare & Triest are the lowest bidders, and the City Engineer recommends that they be awarded the contract. The Harbor Advisory Board will meet this morning at 10 o'clock to take action on this subject, and it it probable that immediately thereafter the Public Works Board will make the award.

The bid of this firm on the alternative proposition of using shell fill is $444,777. The estimate of the City Engineer was $449,210. The lowest previous bid was that of Healy & Tibbets, their price being $497,398.

No More Saloons.

At the meeting of the Police Commission yesterday the Mayor announced that no action will be taken on the issuance of saloon permits to make up the full 200 allowed by the city ordinances, until after the beginning of the new year.

A. Lonnquist, who appeared as the representative of the San Pedro Harbor "Dry" Zone League, asked that two of the four surplus saloons at San Pedro be transferred to the city.

The commission decided that this would only be possible through action of some of the saloon men themselves asking for a transfer from the San Pedro zone to the Los Angeles zone, and told the league representative that if this was desired they had better try to induce some of the saloon owners at the harbor to make such requests.

"There are some saloon men in San Pedro, however, to whom I would not give a saloon permit in Los Angeles," said the Mayor.

"That much more reason why we want to get rid of them down there," retorted Lonnquist. "We feel that we are entitled to relief and want to make the gateway to this city an attractive place morally and physically."

Almost a score of applications have been made for the two saloon licenses that it is now possible for the Police Commission to authorize, but the Mayor states that he considers there is no hurry about filling the full quota of 200, and that the city has plenty of drinking places under present conditions. He stated that he would gladly vote to revoke four saloon licenses at San Pedro, in order to bring down the number to 196, as provided for in the ordinance, if charges of improper conduct against the harbor saloons could be filed and proved.

Must Move Its Tracks.

The Board of Public Utilities voted yesterday to issue notification to the Los Angeles Railway Corporation to move its tracks in North Main street, from Temple to Marchessault street, so as to get them in the center of the street. At present the tracks are much nearer the west side than the east, and this adds to the troubles of traffic congestion. The corporation will also have to repave the portions of the street from which the tracks are moved.

APPROVES FRANCHISE REQUEST.

The application of Emmet H. Wilson for a street railway franchise on Vernon avenue, from Dalton street to the westerly city limits, was approved by the Board of Public Utilities yesterday, and the recommendation was made that a twenty-one-year franchise be advertised for sale. Commissioner Wheeler reported that his investigations showed that the proposed line would extend through a very rapidly-growing residence district, and that it would be 1220 feet from the Forty-eighth-street line, and a half-mile from the Santa Barbara-avenue line.

City Hall Brevities.

Property owners on Spring street, between Fifth and Sixth, filed a petition with the Police Commission yesterday for a two-year extension of the period within which the block shall be closed to any further wholesale or retail liquor permits.

The Hollywood Board of Trade appealed to the Police Commission yesterday for more patrolmen for that district, and was given assurance that some of the twenty officers recently provided for by the City Council will be apportioned to that neglected territory, where patrolmen are seldom to be found.

Property owners on San Fernando street, between Bellevue avenue and Ord street, petitioned the Police Commission yesterday to close that section of the street to the issuance of any further liquor permits. The petition was referred to the Chief of Police for checking the frontage represented.

Clarence B. Walker, formerly stenographer in the Police Department, was transferred by the Police Commission yesterday to the position of assistant secretary to the commission.

Breslin & Marks, who conduct an employment agency at No. 125 East Second street, were summoned by the Police Commission yesterday to appear before it at the next session to answer to charges of accepting fees from men sent out to work in camps fifty miles away where there was no work available. Marks was before the commission on a similar complaint recently.

L. F. Cooley and Edward F. Piper were approved as special policemen by the Police Commission yesterday. Cooley will serve at the Plaza and Piper is City Hall guide.

The auto stand permit of J. E. Rees for in front of No. 612 South Spring street was revoked yesterday, after the Police Commission had heard the charges against Rees of operating an auto while intoxicated.

A rule was adopted by the Police Commission yesterday providing that it will be sufficient grounds to cause a revocation of an auctioneer's permit to have it shown that he allows by-bidders or "cappers" to work at his auction as is the custom in some places about town.

The Board of Public Utilities recommended yesterday that a spur track franchise be granted the Abbott Hardware Company on Alameda street, between First and Second.

The Board of Public Works recommended yesterday that $1000 be paid Mrs. Clemina Johnston, mother of Samuel E. Johnston, who was killed June 19, while engaged in aqueduct work.

The Police Commission voted yesterday to refuse to extend the liquor zone so as to include property on Santa Fe avenue, between Seventh and Ninth streets, where a place has been purchased by the Independent Brewery Company for a plant.

At the Courthouse.

YOKE TO KEEP ON A-GALLING.

HAD TO WED, HE SAYS; ALSO HAS TO STAY WED.

Her Papa and Mamma Just Made Him Marry Mildred, According to Young Husband Who Doesn't Want Her at His Table, but Judge Declines to Give Him Any Divorce.

A matrimonial yoke that galled was the burden of the plaint of Richard Lewis of Pomona, whose sensational testimony yesterday did not impress the court and cost him the liberty he sought. Lewis is young and passing fair. His wife is also young and demure. They have a 2-months'-old baby which should be the anchor that holds them, but Richard said he does not love his wife, never cared for her and doesn't want her to sit at his table.

The marriage, he testified, was forced upon him by the girl's parents. Acting under fear of annihilation or jail, Richard said he came to Los Angeles, got a license and married Mildred.

There were spats between the young couple and words with his bride's parents, winding up in the mother-in-law punching him in the eye, he averred. This was the last straw and Mrs. Lewis was informed that her parents would not be welcomed at his home.

Judge Monroe denied the decree. He said he did not believe Richard had been forced to marry Mildred and had not been frightened by alleged threats of what would happen to him if he did not. If the marriage had been forced upon him, it was strange, to say the least, that he tolerated his wife's society for three months, he said.

PROBLEM PUZZLES.

ARE THEY MARRIED?

A delicate problem confronts Judge Monroe. It involves an old soldier and his sons and grows out of an alleged contract marriage twenty-seven years ago. Allen McClure sought a divorce from his wife, Ella, and it developed from his testimony that they entered into a contract to become man and wife. They lived in various States, finally coming to Los Angeles, but at the railway station McClure said Mrs. McClure went her way and he entered the Soldiers' Home. Mrs. McClure is believed to be in New Mexico.

"She always refused to have a marriage ceremony performed," McClure told the court; "she also told me that when she died she did not want my name on her headstone."

Judge Monroe said he had serious doubts if there was sufficient evidence to show that they are married. It was also a question whether they had agreed to live together as man and wife. The children the result of the union presented the problem. If there had been no offspring the court might declare no marriage and leave McClure free to take care of his property.

McClure's counsel was instructed to bring in the deposition of the former's son. Meantime, the court will give the subject grave consideration.

HE STUMPS 'EM.

EXAMINER ASKS HARD ONE.

A question asked by Naturalization Examiner Jones yesterday stumped the entire class of applicants for citizenship. The question rippled down the long line to the accompaniment of wrinkled brows and negative replies.

"In what part of the Constitution is citizenship defined?" was the question. As applicant after applicant missed, the stillness became ominous. Several school teachers among the spectators who were enjoying the quiz drew long faces. Judge Willis looked anxious. He would liked to have seen at least one applicant give the answer. Finally Jones had to spring it. He said it was in the Fourteenth Amendment, whereat one of the teachers whispered to her friends, "I thought it was in the tariff."

One applicant emerged from the conflict with a two-syllable name instead of six. He grew up under the name of George P. Papageorgecopulos, and the court amputated it to Papas. There were thirty-two in the class and all passed.

SUES ON OPTION.

LIKE CASE GOES HIGHER.

An option covering the purchase of 25,000 trees and involving a claim for $30,000 forms the basis of a suit now on trial in Judge Craig's court. The option was given by E. E. Hendrick, late president of the Los Angeles Ice and Cold Storage Company, to George M. Pearson, who was to purchase the trees at a certain price. He avers he undertook the work in good faith. Meantime, Hendrick died and Pearson brought suit against J. G. McKinney, administrator of Hendrick's estate. McKinney denies Pearson's claim. A motion for a nonsuit was argued yesterday and will be ruled on today.

Hendrick owned 13,000 acres in Riverside county and the trees Pearson was to buy were to be set out on the land. A case with similar features is now before the Supreme Court, the lower court giving judgment for Pearson.

HIS WILL FILED.

M'NAMARA JUROR DEAD.

The will of John Bloeser, probated yesterday, attracted some attention in the Probate Court yesterday when it became known that he was the first juror in the McNamara dynamiting case to pass away. The petition was filed by his widow, Adele Bloeser, who becomes trustee under the will of the one-fourth interest bequeathed to each son, John Condit and William Hargrave Bloeser. Mrs. Bloeser receives half of the estate, which is valued at $50,000.

The real property includes lots in Bellevue Terrace worth $36,000 and five shares of the stock of the Commercial National Bank, valued at $755.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

SWEAR IN JUDGES. Judge Houser, who succeeds himself on the bench, and Judge-elect John M. York, took the oath of office yesterday. The oath was administered by Chief Deputy County Clerk Wilson. Judge Rives was sworn in on the 11th inst. Judge McCormick and Charles Wellborn, judge-elect, will go through the ceremony later.

CHANGES BENCHES. Judge Conley of Madero county, who is an extra sessions judge, will relieve Judge F. E. Densmore of Riverside county today in a case in which the latter is disqualified. Judge Densmore will come here. Judge Zook of Marin county is sitting in Department Nine. Judge Price of Alpine county is trying cases in Extra Sessions Three.

CHAUFFEUR ARRAIGNED. William Arens was arraigned before Judge McCormick yesterday on the charge of manslaughter. He will plead to the charge, which involves the death of Margaret Gibson, next Thursday. The death of the woman followed a visit to Vernon, her taxicab, driven by Arens, overturning.

MURDER TRIAL. The trial of Ralph McBath, charged with the murder of David Campbell, was started before a jury in Judge McCormick's court yesterday. Charles Doble is jointly charged with McBath for the alleged crime.

INCORPORATIONS. First Church of Christ, Scientist of Highland Park, incorporators, E. P. Buhle, Elmer L. Smith, Nettie W. Barlow, Ida C. Griffen, F. I. Groton; Pacific Potash-Alum-Sulphur Company, incorporators, J. A. Dubbs, Jennie C. Dubbs, A. C. Fleury, Anton Gloetzner, W. C. Marston; capital stock, $250,000; subscribed, $100. Sierra Verdugo Water Company, incorporators, Robert A. Walton, J. Frank Walters, F. C. Finkle, B. M. Ellis, L. A. Lewis; capital stock, $200,000; fully subscribed. Municipal Housing Association of Los Angeles, incorporators, John R. Haynes, T. E. Gibbon, C. A. Elder, Robert Watchorn, J. E. Fishburn, Mrs. Carrie P. Bryant, Mrs. J. E. Cowles, Mrs. K. S. Vosburg, Arthur Letts, Charles T. Murphy, Jr., Joseph H. Johnson, A. J. Wallace, Robert Marsh, J. W. Macdonald, Walter J. Desmond, Charles C. Browning, Elbert Wing, Mrs. P. G. Hubert, A. W. Clark, Florence H. Mills, Dana W. Bartlett, O. T. Johnson, J. D. Radford, Mrs. Willoughby Rodman, C. E. Richards, Meyer Lissner, Louis W. Meyers, H. W. Frank, West Hughes, Frank A. Garbutt, Agnes Kleppisch, E. P. Clark, James Slauson, Lewis R. Works; capital stock, $500,000; subscribed, $170.

IN THE INFERIOR COURTS.

Woman Rooming-House-Keeper Pays Heavily for Beer Sold Comparatively Cheap.

Seven bottles of beer sold to Patrolmen Brooke and Glaze for 50 cents a bottle cost Mrs. Frances J. Morrison $100 or 100 days in the City Jail yesterday. She pleaded guilty to the charge of selling liquor without a license in Police Judge Rose's court. It was testified that Mrs. Morrison was in the habit of selling beer to people who visited her rooming-house. The court levied the fine as a warning to others who are engaged in the same business.

CURSE A BOOMERANG.

William Diamond, 28 years old, was haled before Police Judge Rose yesterday on a begging complaint sworn to by J. H. Nople.

"I was sitting in an auto with a woman friend," testified Nople, "when Diamond came up and asked for money. He would not take no for an answer. When the owner of the machine appeared and started to drive away, Diamond followed the machine a short distance, finally calling out: "'I hope you have an accident and you break your necks.'

"That made me angry," continued Nople, "and I had him arrested."

"Thirty dollars or thirty days," said the justice.

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CLAIM 28 RELINQUISHED TO VALUABLE TRACT.

Forty-acre Frontage at Bay City, Long in Dispute on Mineral Entry and Subsequently on Its Tidal Character, Won by Local Man if Survey Proves Correct.

The case brought by the Alamitos Land Company against J. C. Ord, involving forty acres of ocean-front land near Bay City, had an unexpected denouement before Register Buren and Receiver Robinson of the local land office yesterday.

By the terms of a stipulation signed by all of the parties to the contention, the Alamitos Land Company withdraws any claims to the land described in the application of J. C. Ord and said to be worth $100,000. It provides that certain lands described in the application be surveyed as land of the United States by virtue of a patent from the United States for the Rancho Los Alamitos and disclaims any interest in the land as being derived from that patent. Another point in the stipulation is that an immediate survey shall be made of the land in controversy. If this demonstrates that the land belongs to the government and not to the State, the claim of Ord, so far as the right of the Alamitos Land Company is concerned, is to be allowed.

The first contention in regard to the ownership of the land appeared following the formation of a corporation known as the Anaheim Landing Mining and Development Company, that filed a mineral claim on the property. Mining development was carried on and large quantities of black sand, supposed to carry gold, was discovered. At that time the land was claimed by the Alamitos Land Company, owners of the Los Alamitos Rancho, as a part of their survey. A contest was instituted by the mining and development company and the Alamitos Land Company on one side and J. C. Ord on the other, and the local land office decided that the land was non-mineral in character.

The filing of Ord under Valentine scrip took place in July 1907. That scrip was issued to Thomas V. Valentine in the late sixties by the government in exchange for a big tract that had been taken from Valentine in the vicinity of Petaluma, Cal. This is the most valuable of any of the various kinds of land scrip that are marketed at this time in various parts of California, as it carries absolute title to any surveyed or unsurveyed land belonging to the United States that is entered by its holder.

The question as to whether the land involved in this case was tideland at the time of the admission of California to the Union was also in controversy. A special hearing was ordered by the Secretary of the Interior to have that point determined. The Alamitos Land Company claimed that it was tide-land and therefore the property of the State, in spite of the fact that some of it lies not less than twenty feet above high tide. Ord claimed that it was public land subject to entry and not tide-land at any time.

PICKS UP LIVE WIRE.

F. K. Koebsell, 30 years old, of No. 149 East Thirty-sixth place, a carpenter, may be permanently injured as a result of terrible burns received when he picked up a live wire at Thirty-sixth and Main streets, yesterday.

As the end of the wire coiled itself around Koebsell's body, his clothes emitted tiny coils of hazy-blue smoke. It is said the wire dropped into the street from a pole on which linemen were working.

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REVERSES SUPERIOR COURT.

The Supreme Court has reversed the judgment of the Superior Court here and upheld the railroad in the action brought by Homer A. Clark against the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe. Clark sued to cover damages for injuries alleged to have been received while he was a passenger on an A. T. & S. F. train. The road alleged that if Clark was injured it was his own fault. The lower court had found in favor of the plaintiff.

TELLS SMOOTH STORY.

Arguments in the case of J. N. Littlejohn, the ex-Pullman car porter charged with smuggling, were concluded before the jury in Judge Wellborn's court last evening. The court will deliver its charge this morning and the jury will then retire. Littlejohn told a smooth story during his examination.

HIGHWAYMEN'S RUSE.

An innovation in highwaymen's tactics was brought to the attention of Central Station detectives yesterday when William Fullmer of No. 509 Banning street, said that a "foolish brother" ruse was used late Tuesday night to lure him to a side street, where he was struck over the head. When he regained consciousness Fullmer was minus his watch and $7.50. While crossing the Plaza a man asked him to assist him in taking his "foolish brother" home.

HITS MAN; DRIVES ON.

Andrew Studebaker, a middle-aged married man living at No. 1210 East First street, was knocked down by a street car at First and Rio streets and seriously injured yesterday. Crocker-street Hospital surgeons say his recovery is doubtful. The motorman did not stop the car after knocking Studebaker down. Frank J. Kimball, No. 842 Stephenson avenue, took the injured man to the hospital, on an automobile. Studebaker is suffering from a fractured skull, body bruises, lacerations and contusions.

If You Want to Go East C. Haydock. Phone Main 8576. L. C. R. R., 125 West Sixth street.—(Advertisement.

WEALTHY KANSAN DIES.

Party of Pleasure-seekers to Make Short Stay in Pleasant Resort.

There was a pleasant reunion at the City [illegible] day when City Treasurer Myers received a telegram from Thies, Jr., his son, who is in the banking business at Kap., and a couple of years ago in the employ of Western Express [illegible].

Thies is one of the largest cattle raisers in the State, owner of 50,000 acres in Clark, Mead and [illegible] counties. His home is in Wichita, Kan., but has other large interests with street railway and transportation lines in that enterprising city.

Thies and a party of friends arrived in Los Angeles in their private car [illegible] O. Davidson, a capitalist who is reported to be worth $10,000,000, and Orient Baker and Dan Harbison of Wichita, Kan., C. L. Davidson, Judge C. F. [illegible] Topeka; C. J. Hutchinson, banking engineer [illegible] chant of Wichita, and William Innes and Frank Hoffman, a capitalist of Wichita.

The trip is in the interest of the Standard Oil Company of the State, which [illegible] pates making.

TO DEAL.

Having secured a lease on the property at the corner of Spring street and Broadway, the royalty holders of the Separator Company have formed a $500,000 corporation, with [illegible] director, and will in the future deal with the consumer direct. The headquarters will be in Phoenix Block, with a force of [illegible] up of representatives, including [illegible] Miller, J. B. Frost [illegible]

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